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WANAMAKER'S LATEST PURCHASE.

The Millionaire Department Storekeeper Buys Ground for College Building.

John Wanamaker on Monday purchased from the Jefferson Medical College the plot of ground on the west side of Broad street, from Catharine to Christian streets, Philadelphia, and will erect on the site a magnificant building for Bethany college.

The purchase price was $25,000, subject to $100,000 mortgage, while the plans for a new building are yet to be drawn, the building will be an imposing structure and an ornament to Broad street. Its cost will in all likelihood exceed $300,000.

Rev. Dr. Charles A. Dickey, one of the pastors of Bethany church, is president of Bethany College, now situated at Twenty-second and Pine streets. The Dean is Professor F. A. Wyres, of the East Burn Academy. The average yearly enrollment of students is about 500.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

His Honor, Robert R. Little, presided at a short session of Court on Monday. Associates Fox and Kurtz were also on the bench.

The polling place in East North Conyngham township was changed from the school house to house of John J. Pursel.

William Hannah, Jr., appointed Judge of Election of East North Conyngham district.

Estate of William Shaffer. Order of sale granted.

Estate of Maggie Lawton. Petition for citation. Rule granted.

Maggie I. Lawton's committee vs. James L. Lawton. Petitition to stay Fi. Fa. Granted.

James T. Fox vs. W. P. Litwiler et. al. Petition for subrogation. Argument. Papers in hands of Court.

Petition of guardian of Clarence L. and Percy J. Snell for an allowance. Allowance granted

Sudden Death of Mrs. Geo. W. Sweigart.

Death comes sometimes suddenly and without warning. This was the case Saturday evening when Mrs. George W. Sweigart while returning home from calling on friends was taken ill with heart disease. Though weak and exhausted she managed to reach the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. George, but had scarcely entered and taken a seat when she fell forward and expired.

Mrs. Sweigert was a respected lady of seventy-nine years and leaves to mourn her sudden death a husband and five children. The latter are Mrs. Arthur Garrison of Philadelphia and Emma, Elmer, William and Frank of town. The funeral took place yesterday. Services were conducted at the home on Eighth street by Rev. Hartman of Espy and interment was made in the cemetery at Almedia.

Cashier Thompson Moves up.

J. N. Thompson who for several months past has been the cashier of the Farmers' National Bank of this town has severed his connection with that institution to accept the treasurership of the Wyoming Valley Trust Company of Wilkes Barre, one of the strongest financial concerns in Luzerne county. Mr. Thompson entered upon his new position on Saturday. The vacancy at the Farmers' has been filled by the election of M. Milleisin, cashier of the Reedsville, Pa. National Bank. Though his sojourn here was rather brief, Mr. Thompson has made many friends and his departure occasions many regrets.

PLENTY OF COAL.

All the dealers in coal are now supplied with the different sizes, and are very busy filling orders that they have had booked for weeks. The prices are as follows: No. 5, $5.00; No. 6, $3.80.

The output in the coal regions continues to increase, and additional collieries are being started every day.

Where the Circuses Are.

Barnum & Bailey are showing in Fra[illegible] Forepaugh & Sells Bros. are in Charleston making a southern tour, Walter L. Main is in North Carolina, Ringling Bros. are going through the state of Texas, and the John Robinson's show is in Georgia.

IRVINE BEATEN BY BISHOP.

Famous Church Scandal at Huntingdon Again Aired—Unfrocked Minister Loses,

Rt. Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, Episcopal bishop of Pennsylvania, last week at Harrisburg again scored on Rev. Dr. N. T. W. Irvine, a former member of his clerical flock, on duty at Huntingdon, whom he unfrocked for various things alleged to have been unbecoming to a minister.

Irvine charges that he was deposed because he refused to accept into the fold a Mrs. Elliott, of Huntingdon, a divorced woman, and that she and the bishop conspired against him in a way that led to his finding himself outside of the pulpit. He made charges of conspiracy against Bishop Talbot, and Bishop Dudley, of Kentucky, at the request of Drs Harris and Odell, of Philadelphia, the presenters, acting on behalf of Mr. Irvine, appointed a board of inquiry, nine of the members of the sixteen appointed meeting in Harrisburg last July and hearing evidence, after which, by a vote of five to four, they decided that the charges were not sufficient to haul Bishop Talbot before the board of bishops.

This did not satisfy Dr. Irvine and his presenters, and they looked for more evidence, and claimed to have found it in the form of an affidavit made by a man named Dewees. Bishop Dudley called the board to meet in Harrisburg.

The Dewees affidavit was read, and it was to the effect that at the residence of Mrs. Elliott, in Huntingdon, Bishop Talbot, referring to a suit brought in court against him by Irvine, had said to the witness: "Keep the divorce question out of the case, for that would be Irvine's strong point," and also said, injurious things against Irvine.

The board decided that this was not new evidence under the laws of the state of Pennsylvania, the rules of evidence of which govern the board. A resolution to that effect was adopted, as was also one that, in the judgment of the board, no further proceedings by way of presentment on the charges preferred against the bishop should be countenanced.

Pastor's Resignation Accepted.

The congregation of the Baptist church at a numerously attended meeting held in the church Wednesday evening of last week, accepted the resignation of the pastor, Rev. J. D. Smith and the following resolutions were adopted unanimously.

WHEREAS, Our paster having offered his resignation to the church to take effect the first Sunday in January 1903. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the church, under brother Smith's pastorate, has been greatly blessed, both spiritually and temporally, and as a church, we have appreciated his untiring efforts in behalf of the cause of Christ and the church, and regret the necessity of a climatic change.

Resolved, That with a great deal of regret, we accept his resignation, trusting the Lord is leading both pastor and people in this decision.

We further resolve, that should the pastor's physical condition necessitate a change before January 1st, that his relation as pastor can be severed at his pleasure, through arrangements with the deacons.

Gold Watch Fell Into the River.

The Danville Morning *News* of Tuesday says: "Miss Martha Lobach of Cambra, Luzerne County, who is at present at the home of Miss Keeler East Market Street, met with a serious loss on Sunday. With some companions she was standing on the sidewalk of the river bridge when her watch in some way became detached from her clothing and fell into the river, where the water was at least ten feet deep. In falling it struck the floor in such a way as to cause the case to fly open.

The river is yet too muddy to enable one to see the bottom, so that there is no way of telling whether the watch may be recovered or not. The current is quite strong at the point where the watch fell in, and as it flew open the probability is that it was caught by the current and carried some distance.

Miss Lobach feels her loss very keenly, as the watch was a present from her father now deceased.

John W. Vogel's big minstrels at the Opera House Monday evening.

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Berwick's New Steel Plant.

The new steel plant of the American Car & Foundry Co., at Berwick, in which the fires were lighted last week is one of the most complete industries of its kind in the country. Every machine in the plant will be electrically driven—every machine will have its own electric motor. A tunnel 200 feet long, 10 feet high and 6 feet wide conveys twelve immense electrical cables to different parts of the plant, carrying all hydraulic and pneumatic power.

The plant has a building entirely devoted to heating and the exhaust steam system is used. The steam enters an engine where it heats the water, which is pumped to the heating house and from there into all parts of the mill. The steam not used in heating is taken into a condenser, where it is condensed and the water used over again. Hot air will also be used in heating and will be distributed in underground passages, the largest of which is eight feet, into different parts of the plant.

An immense revolving tower is situated directly outside the boiler room to furnish air and to cool the steam. The heating is so arranged that a man using one finger can regulate the temperature of the entire plant. The capacity of the plant will be 40 steel cars a day.

A Lesson From the Strike.

"There was a lesson in economy in the recent coal famine," said a coal dealer the other day, "that will result in a decreased demand for coal for some time. Families have learned that they can live comfortably with a much less consumption of fuel than they used to, so instead of building up big fires at the first approach of cold weather and burning nearly as much coal on the mild days that intervene, will use the contrivances they have been using this fall."

Troops Will Cost $1,000,000.

It is estimated that the calling out of the troops to the coal region by Governor Stone will cost the state at least $1,000,000. The average cost per day of maintaining the troops is $30,000.

THE ELECTION.

Pennypacker, republican, is elected Governor of Pennsylvania by a majority of 140,000.

Odell carried New York state by 10,000.

The entire Democratic ticket in Columbia county is elected with the exception of Small, who is defeated by Duy, republican.

Smith, republican candidate for commissioner, is defeated, Bogert, Fisher and Sterner, all democrats, being elected.

Pattison's majority in the county is 2698.

Dickerman carries the district for Congress. The majorities in the counties are as follows:

	Dickerman.	Godcharles.
Columbia	1290	
Montour	212	
Northumberland		627
Sullivan		3
	1502	630
Dickerman's majority		872

Krickbaum has a majority of 495 over Kurtz for Associate Judge.

Rutter's majority over Stiner, Republican, for Register and Recorder, is 2214.

It was the most hotly contested fight of recent years, the struggle being for Congress, Commissioners and District Attorney.

Trouble For Matthewson.

The Pittsburg *Dispatch* says: "Trouble in great, dark-tinted chunks looms up before Christy Matthewson. The big fellow has signed contracts with both the American and the National Leagues for next year. He is said to have accepted advance money from each side on signing, McGraw and McAleer declare they will fight to the death for the big fellow. In the meantime Christy, who is kicking for the Pittsburg foot ball team, getting his meals and washing out at Greensburg, continues to say nothing."

"Christy's" many Bloomsburg friends hope that an amicable agreement may be reached and that he may be able to keep up his phenomenal work next season.

The rabbit season opened on Saturday and many a nimble bunny was cut down in his tracks.

Would you refuse a $10 gold piece if a man stopped you on the street and offered it to you="free gratis?"

Wish you could have dropped in on us to-day and have seen the hundreds of books we were balancing up, and every book had a red credit check in it; good for anything in the store. Just figure it out for yourself. 5 per cent. on your yearly purchase will pay your coal bill.

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BALLOTS COUNTED

Latest Returns From Many States.

NEW YORK FOR ODELL.

Majority For the Entire Republican Ticket Over 20,000.

AKER STATE FOR PENNYPACKER

Returns Slow Coming In, but Indications Are That the Democrats Have Not Secured Control of the National House and That the Complexion of the Senate Will Not Be Materially Changed.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—In spite of a phenomenally large vote in New York and Kings county for Bird S. Coler (Dem.) the returns indicate the re-election of Benjamin B. Odell (Rep.) to the governorship of New York state by from 16,000 to 20,000. Coler's plurality in Greater New York exceeded 115,000, a surplus of 3,000 above the claim made by Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, but even that large vote was not sufficient to overcome the Republican majorities from up the state.

Odell's vote in the country districts was lighter than two years ago, but

GOVERNOR ODELL.

...ler's was also lower than Stanch...eld's in the same year. In New York ...ity Coler's plurality was approximate...y 117,500, made up as follows: New York county, 83,000; Kings, 26,500; Queens, 5,500, and Richmond, 2,800. Oyster Bay, where President Roose...elt's country home is situated and where he voted, was carried by Coler, ...s plurality being 131. Two years ago ...delI's plurality was 512.

NEW YORK CITY'S VOTE.

Greater New York, which last year elected a fusionist to the mayoralty, ...turned to the Democracy and rolled ...p one of its old time majorities for ...hat party. Locally the candidates ...oted for were three justices of the su...reme court, nineteen members of the ...ational house of representatives, ...enty-one state senators and sixty-two ...tate assemblymen. In Kings county a ...heriff and in Queens a district attor...ey were elected. Coler's plurality for ...overnor in the city is nearly 90,000.

From the start the returns showed ...hat Edward B. Amend, Vernon M. ...avis and Edward E. McCall, the Tam...any Democratic candidates, were

FRANK W. HIGGINS.

...lected to the supreme bench by pluralities ranging from 70,000 to 80,000. ...eir opponents were William A. ...ldner, Alfred Steckler and Ernest ...ll, who were appointed to the su...reme court by Governor Odell to fill ...acancies. Keener and Steckler were ...minated by both the Republicans and ...e Greater New York Democracy, and ...ll by the Republicans. The Greater ...w York Democracy placed John De...tt Warner in nomination for the of...e against Mr. Hall and the Tammany ...ndidates. The vote cast showed a ...arkable change of feeling from last ..., when Mayor Low carried New ... county by about 5,000.

...e returns of the vote in Kings ... was equally noteworthy. Last year Low carried the county by more than 24,000, while the unofficial returns give Coler 25,464 plurality and indicate that William E. Melody (Dem.), for sheriff, has won from Adolph L. Kline (Rep.) by about the same figures.

Queens borough, the only one of the five boroughs in the greater city that was carried by Shepard (Dem.) for mayor last year, gave an estimated plurality for Coler of 4,500. This was about 1,500 more than had been estimated by the party leaders.

Richmond borough gives Coler 2,231 plurality.

The Republican state ticket in full is as follows: Governor, Benjamin B. Odell; lieutenant governor, Frank W. Higgins; secretary of state, John F. O'Brien; comptroller, Nathan L. Miller; treasurer, John G. Wickser; attorney general, Henry B. Coman; state engineer, Edward A. Bond; judge of court of appeals, William E. Werner.

Figures from the congressional districts in New York city and the Long Island counties apparently show a loss of four members of the national house to the Republicans, the heavy Coler vote having carried, according to the first returns, the first nineteen districts in the state for the Democratic candidates. All returns indicate that Judge Gray, Democratic candidate for judge of the court of appeals, ran somewhat ahead of his ticket.

The Democrats made gains in the state legislature, but the gains were not sufficient to endanger the Republican hold on the seat in the United States senate now held by Thomas C. Platt. Edwin Bailey, Jr. (Dem.), won the First senate district (Richmond and Suffolk counties) from E. F. Post. The district was represented in the last senate by a Republican. The Democrats captured three assemblymen in Erie county, one in Oneida and one in Rensselaer.

THE UNITED STATES SENATE.

Twenty-five senators will be elected by the legislatures chosen yesterday. Those legislatures were elected by the following states: Indiana, Delaware (two seats), New Hampshire, North Dakota, Nevada, South Dakota, Illinois, Pennsylvania, California, Connecticut, New York, North Carolina, Wisconsin, Kansas, Michigan, Idaho, Arkansas, South Carolina, Florida, Alabama, Utah, Colorado, Washington and Missouri. Of these the Republicans have surely carried thirteen—namely, Indiana, New Hampshire, North Dakota, South Dakota, Illinois, Pennsylvania, California, Connecticut, New York, Michigan, Kansas, Wisconsin and Washington—and the Democrats seven—namely, North Carolina, Delaware (probably), Arkansas, South Carolina, Florida, Alabama and Missouri. This insures 52 Republicans and 34 Democrats in the next senate. The result of the contests owing to the meager returns received at this hour is still in doubt in Nevada, Idaho, Utah and Colorado, with the chances favoring the election of Democratic legislatures in Colorado, Idaho, and Nevada and a Republican legislature in Utah. If these probabilities should be realized, the senate will stand 53 Republicans and 37 Democrats, a loss of four majority for the Republicans compared with the present political division.

Although the returns from the doubtful congressional districts are slow in arriving, the indications are that the Republicans will control the next house of representatives by a narrow margin. In the present house, with a membership of 357, the Republicans have 41 majority. Under the new apportionment the Fifty-eighth house will consist of 386 members, a majority of which is 194.

Massachusetts Elects Bates.

BOSTON, Nov. 5.—The Republicans after a vigorous campaign carried Massachusetts by a substantial plurality, electing the entire state ticket, winning in a majority of the congressional districts, in seven out of the eight councilor districts and retaining a firm control of both branches of the legislature. The state officers elected were as follows: Governor, John L. Bates of Boston; lieutenant governor, Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston; secretary of state, William M. Olin of Boston; treasurer, Edward S. Bradford of Springfield; auditor, Henry E. Turner of Malden; attorney general, Herbert Parker of Lancaster. The outpouring at the polls was the largest in the history of the state with the exception of 1900. The Republicans, while winning by a satisfactory margin, had no such plurality as has been the case in each of the past eight years. Bates, the candidate for governor, ran a trifle ahead of Governor Crane's vote of last year, but Gaston, who headed the Democratic ticket, polled over 25,000 more votes than did Quincy in 1901. The Republican plurality is the smallest since 1893.

Connecticut Republican by 15,000.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 5.—Returns from Connecticut indicate the election of the entire Republican ticket by pluralities ranging about 15,000. The returns from the same towns indicate that Connecticut will return all four district congressmen Republicans and a Republican congressman at large. The general assembly promises to be comfortably Republican, thus insuring the return to the United States senate of O. H. Platt.

The Vote In Ohio.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 5.—Chairman Dick of the Republican state committee gave out a statement claiming a plurality of more than 100,000 on the state ticket and seventeen or eighteen of the twenty-one Ohio congressmen. In this statement he claimed the election of congressmen in the Third, Twelfth and Thirteenth districts, none of which are at present conceded by Chairman Garber of the Democratic state committee.

Michigan Elects Bliss.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 5.—The Republicans of Michigan have elected Governor A. T. Bliss and their entire state ticket, eleven of the twelve congressmen and an overwhelming majority of the members of the legislature. The vote was light throughout the state, and the Republican majority is estimated at between 35,000 and 40,000. This assures the election of General R. A. Alger to fill the unexpired term of the late United States Senator James McMillan.

PENNSYLVANIA VOTE.

Republicans Elect Governor and an Increased Majority In Legislature.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 5.—For the first time in the history of the state more than a million votes were cast in an election. Samuel W. Pennypacker (Rep.) was elected governor by an esti-

JUDGE PENNYPACKER.

mated plurality of 175,000, and the Republican ticket was generally successful in the various counties. The Democrats elected two and possibly three of the thirty-two congressmen. The legislature will be more strongly Republican than ever before, with the exception of the 1897 session, and it is certain that Boies Penrose will succeed himself in the United States senate.

Despite the apathy of the voting public during the campaign the vote polled in this city was much heavier than had been anticipated. Contrary to expectations, the balloting was unattended by any serious disturbances, and the election was conducted more quietly than has been the case for a number of years. There were a few arrests for illegal voting. Returns now indicate the election of Pennypacker for governor by a large majority.

Republican State Chairman Quay arrived here from his Beaver county home shortly before 6 o'clock. He remained at his rooms at the Hotel Walton all night, where he received state returns over a private wire. One of the first telegrams to Senator Quay was from Pittsburg, claiming that Pennypacker carried Allegheny county by 35,000 plurality and that the Citizens' Democratic local ticket had 40,000 majority in Pittsburg.

Iowa Republican by 75,000.

DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 5.—On the basis of the precinct returns received up to 11 p. m. the Republicans have elected their state ticket by about 75,000 plurality. The reports from the congressional districts are meager. Enough has been received from the Third to indicate that Judge Birdsall, nominated by the Republicans to succeed Speaker David B. Henderson, ran substantially with his ticket and will be elected by 4,000 to 5,000 votes over former Governor Boies.

The Vote In New Jersey.

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 5.—New Jersel voted for ten congressmen, eight state senators and a full house of assembly of sixty members. County and municipal candidates were also elected. In the south Jersey congressional districts, although the Republicans were successful, the Democrats cut down the Republican majority, and in one or two districts the Republican candidates for congress barely escaped defeat.

Light Vote In Delaware.

WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 5.—Indications are that the vote in this state was lighter than two years ago. The contest for the legislature is apparently close, and the result will probably not be known until the full vote is counted. The election of Henry A. Houston (Dem.) for congress is indicated.

Democratic Gains In New Hampshire

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 5.—For governor 150 towns and wards in New Hampshire give Batcheider (Rep.) 21,296, Hollis (Dem.) 16,888; scattering, 953. The same towns and wards in 1900 gave Jordan (Rep.) 27,607, Potter (Dem.) 17,287, a net Republican loss of 6,002.

Republican Gains In Colorado.

DENVER, Nov. 5.—The returns from the state are so meager that it is impossible to give a reliable estimate of the result in Colorado. That the Republicans have made heavy gains throughout the state is generally conceded.

Georgia Elects Senator.

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 5.—The Georgia legislature in joint session re-elected United States Senator Alexander S. Clay for the full term of six years. Senator Clay received 171 votes and Walter Johnson of Atlanta (Rep.) 4.

Big Gentile Vote In Utah.

SALT LAKE CITY, Nov. 5.—The vote in most precincts of Salt Lake was heavy. In the east side precincts, where the gentiles predominate, much scratching was done, especially on the legislative ticket.

A BIG CASH BALANCE

Excellent Condition of Government Finances Shown.

AVAILABLE SURPLUS OF $206,421,879

This, In Addition to Unusually Large Gold Reserve, Is the Striking Feature of Treasurer Roberts' Report.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Ellis H. Roberts, treasurer of the United States, in opening his annual report says that the magnitude of the available cash balance and the unprecedented holdings of gross gold are the striking features of the condition of the treasury at the close of the fiscal year 1902. The net ordinary revenues for the year were $562,478,233 and the expenditures $471,190,857, showing a surplus of $91,287,376.

In comparison with the previous year there was a decrease of $25,207,104 in the revenues, offset by a falling off of $38,776,495 in the expenditures. While there was an increase of $15,859,252 in the receipts from customs, the internal revenues, under the operation of new laws repealing the war taxes, fell off $35,300,541. There was a decrease of $32,343,481 in expenditures on account of the war department and an increase of $7,296,149 in the cost of the navy. The total receipts of the year from all sources, including the public debt, were $1,062,124,037 and the disbursements $990,027,541. United States notes and treasury notes were redeemed in gold to the amount of $17,482,590 of the former and $1,274,590 of the latter, without any impairment of the gold reserve of $150,000,000.

The available cash balance in the treasury July 1, 1902, was the largest net balance in our history. It amounted to $862,187,361. The gold reserve is counted in, as it is available for the redemption of legal tender notes.

Nearly one-half of the available cash balance of July 1 was in gold coin and certificates, $103,801,290 over and above the gold reserve of $150,000,000, and by Oct. 1 it became $136,124,771. As a measure of the financial strength of the government the report says the fact deserves mention.

By Oct. 1, 1902, the available cash balance, exclusive of the reserve, was $221,253,394, and owing to the large measures for the relief of the money market it was reduced by Nov. 1 to $206,421,879. Of this sum $146,885,012 was in national banks. Bonds of the face value of $56,071,230 were purchased during the fiscal year for the sinking fund at a total cost of $70,410,220 for principal, premium and accrued interest.

While the accounts of the public debt on their face show an increase of $15,283,512 in the total of the debt, if allowance be made for the increase of $57,824,400 in gold certificates the national obligations will be shown to have been diminished by $42,340,888 during the fiscal year.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

President Roosevelt Names Nov. 27 For Annual Feast.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—President Roosevelt has issued a proclamation designating Thursday, Nov. 27, as a day of thanksgiving. The proclamation is as follows:

According to the yearly custom of our people, it falls upon the president at this season to appoint a day of festival and thanksgiving to God.

Over a century and a quarter has passed since this country took its place among the nations of the earth, and during that time we have had on the whole more to be thankful for than has fallen to the lot of any other nation. Generation after generation has grown to manhood and passed away. Each has had to bear its peculiar burdens, each to face its special crises, and each has known years of grim trial, when the country was menaced by malice, domestic or foreign levy, when the hand of the Lord was heavy upon it in drought or flood or pestilence, when in bodily distress and anguish of soul it paid penalty of folly and a froward heart.

Nevertheless decade by decade we have struggled onward and upward. We now abundantly enjoy material well being, and under the favor of the Most High we are striving earnestly to achieve moral and spiritual uplifting. The year that has just closed has been one of peace and of overflowing plenty. Rarely has any people enjoyed greater prosperity than we are now enjoying. For this we render heartfelt and solemn thanks to the Giver of Good, and we seek to praise him not by words only, but by deeds, by the way in which we do our duty to ourselves and to our fellow men.

Now, therefore, I, Theodore Roosevelt, president of the United States, do hereby designate as a day of general thanksgiving Thursday, the 27th of the coming November, and do recommend that throughout the land the people cease from their ordinary occupations and in their several homes and places of worship render thanks unto Almighty God for the manifold blessings of the past year. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Cresceus Lowered Two Mile Record.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 1.—Cresceus, the great son of Robert McGregor, made good his claim to championship honors at the Driving park in a remarkable exhibition of speed and stamina. The horse was sent against the world's two mile trotting record of 4:28¼, held by Onward Silver, and completed the circuit twice without a break in 4:17 flat, clipping eleven and a quarter seconds off the former record. Both the horse and Mr. Ketcham, who drove him, received an ovation from the large crowd present.

Trolley Strike Ended.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Nov. 3.—The Hudson Valley railroad strike has been settled by unanimous vote of the striking employees, the company accepting a proposition made by the men, who returned to work this morning. The union is not recognized.

New Jersey's Big Balance.

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 1.—The state's fiscal year closed with a balance of $2,744,718.26 in the state treasury. This is an increase of $393,035.09 over last year and the largest balance at the close of any year in the state's history.

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THE STATE AT A GLANCE.

—Small-pox has broken out at Maltby, Luzerne County, and the place has been quarantined.

—Joseph Matthers, a leader in the late miners strike was killed in a Sugar Notch mine on Tuesday.

—Easton clergymen have taken steps to suppress the violation of the Sabbath laws relative to stores and other places of business.

—Preliminary steps were taken at Pottsville on Tuesday toward the establishment there of a silk ribbon weaving mill, which will employ more than 1000 operatives. The plant will be valued at about $500,000.

H. & A. Levy, of New York city, millionaire manufacturers and importers of silk ribbons, are directly back of the project.

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THE MARKETS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKETS.

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Butter, per pound	$ 28
Eggs, per dozen	28
Lard, per pound	15
Ham, per pound	16
Beef (quarter), per pound	6 to 8
Wheat, per bushel	1 00
Oats, do	35
Rye, do	60
Flour per bbl.	4 40
Hay, per ton	14 00
Potatoes, (new). per bushel	60
Turnips, do	40
Tallow, per pound	06
Shoulder, do	12
Side meat, do	18
Vinegar, per qt	05
Dried apples, per pound	05
Cow hides, do	3½
Steer do do	05
Calf skin	80
Sheep pelts	75
Shelled corn, per bushel	90
Corn meal, cwt.	2 50
Bran, cwt.	1 20
Chop, cwt.	1 60
Middlings, cwt	1 40
Chickens, per pound, new	10
do do old	10
Turkeys do	12½
Geese, do	12
Ducks, do	08
COAL.	
Number 6, delivered	3 50
do 4 and 5 delivered	4 45
do 6, at yard	3 10
do 4 and 5, at yard	4 25

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FREIGHT TRAFFIC VERY HEAVY.

Rush of Business on Catawissa Branch of the Reading Road.

There is a big rush of freight business on all the railroads due to the shipment of coal from the anthracite regions in addition to the ordinary traffic. Even during the strike the roads had about as much freight as could be handled, but now that the coal trade is added every facility is being taxed to the utmost to get the numerous trains over the roads. Anthracite coal is given the preference and every city and town is using up the supply as fast as it can be turned out at the mines.

The Catawissa branch of the Philadelphia & Reading road, from East Mahanoy Junction to West Milton, is an important part of the Reading system and is handling a large number of trains daily. It connects the northern and southern parts of the main line and is a short route from Philadelphia, Williamsport and the northwest. Practically all of the traffic of the Beech Creek branch of the New York Central goes south via the Catawissa branch.

Giving Short Weight.

The Shamokin authorities have discovered that a great many of the people who attend market at that place are guilty of giving short weight and are preparing to give the matter a complete investigation. This same trouble has existed for a long time in the Milton market, and although several parties have been caught at the business of cheating their customers, beyond confiscating their scales no punishment has been inflicted. The man or woman who knowingly sells short weight is a thief and should be punished like any other criminal.

There have been no such charges in the Bloomsburg market, in fact, very few articles are sold by weight.

Crushed to Death.

George Chudleigh of Philadelphia, was crushed beneath an elevator in one of the buildings of the Schuylkill Arsenal at Grays' Ferry on Monday. He was alone at the time of the accident and was kept pinned to the floor until discovered by a fellow workmen, who with the assistance of several others extricated him. He was conveyed hastily to the Polyclinic Hospital, where it was found that the skull had been fractured. He had also suffered internal injuries and died without regaining consciousness. Mr. Chudleigh was fifty-eight years of age. He was the father of Mrs. Dr. H. A. Reese of town. She and her husband left immediately upon receipt of the sad news.

Machine Drills Square Holes.

A machine which will drill square holes has at last been made. An Englishman named Edward Segitz is the inventor, and his apparatus is said to have solved a problem heretofore regarded as being about as unaccomplishable as the mathematical impossibility of squaring the circle. Segitz's machine is a three winged drill, semi-round, which yet cuts four straight edges in its rotary motion. That is, the motion appears to the eye to be rotary, but there is, of course, a manoeuvre in the triple flange which produces the square cut, triangular, or other angular holes, with automatic regularity and machine speed.

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Paying It Out.

Mrs. Ramshorn—Will you remember to give Mary a good scolding tomorrow morning before you go to town?

Mr. Ramshorn—A good scolding? What for? What has she done now?

Mrs. Ramshorn—Oh, nothing. But I am going to have the drawing-room carpet up, and she will have to beat it, and she hits ever so much harder when she's out of temper.—Ally Sloper.

She Got the Position.

"You see, if I engage you you will have to tell people sometimes that I am out when I am at home, do you understand?" said the lady about to engage a new maid.

"Perfectly," said the applicant; "I'm not opposed to lying occasionally."

"What references have you?"

"I have a brother in the weather bureau, ma'am."—Yonkers Statesman.

Her Little Joke.

He had sprung so many gags at her expense that she thought it time to get even.

"Henry," she exclaimed, as he came home to dinner, "I heard something this morning that opened my eyes."

"What was it?" he demanded, excitedly.

"Why, the alarm clock, goose."—Chicago Daily News.

Pity the Poor Neighbors.

Mrs. Doolan—Only think, Mrs. Grogan, that great Pianapounder has practised so har-rd at the pianny for the lasht six months that he has paraloysed two fingers.

Mrs. Grogan—Begorrah, that's nothing, Mrs. Doolan. Me daughter, Mary Ann, has practiced so hard for the lasht six months that she's paraloysed two piannies.—Tit-Bits.

"Doing It Proper."

The reporter was interviewing the western millionaire.

"Is it true that you are going to endow a chair in that university?"

"Endow a chair!" he thundered; "why, b'gosh, I can give a whole set o' furniture, an' I'll do it, too. Say that in yer paper. There ain't nothin' cheap about me."—Baltimore Herald.

Mere Matter of Curiosity.

"I dropped asleep in the hammock, and he came up and kissed me."

"Did he wake you up?"

"Of course; but I didn't let him know it."

"Why not?"

"Oh, a mere matter of curiosity. I wanted to see if he'd have nerve enough to do it again."—Chicago Post.

Days of Chivalry Gone.

Wife (drearily)—Ah, me! The days of chivalry are past.

Husband—What's the matter now?

"Sir Walter Raleigh laid his cloak on the ground for Queen Elizabeth to walk over, but you get mad simply because poor, dear mother sat down on your hat."—N. Y. Weekly.

When Hubby Has a Chance.

"About the only time some women ever give their husbands a chance to say anything," remarked the Observer of Events and Things," "is when they are in front of a soda water fountain. Then she is willing to let him say: 'What'll you have?' "—Yonkers Statesman.

The Ruling Passion.

Doctor—The patient is in a fair way of recovery now, and she may have anything she likes.

Husband—What would you like, dear?

Patient—A looking-glass, please.—Ally Sloper.

Before and After.

"I'll regulate the trusts," he said
Ere he had won the race;
When he was in he shook his head
And with a solemn face
Said: "We must move with care, because
'Tis wrong to get up special laws,"
And then he dropped the case.
—Chicago Record-Herald.

DANGEROUS BUSINESS.

Convict—What are you doing here?
Clergyman—I'm taking notes.
Convict — Umph! That's what brought me here. — Philadelphia Press.

Its Origin.

Lot's wife was turned to salt, because
She backward looked askant;
And thus she was, without a doubt,
The first known rubber plant.
—Brooklyn Life.

Concerning Length.

"Have you been married long?" asked the lady, who was making conversation, of the six-footer.

"Just as long as I am now," he replied.—Ohio State Journal.

Out of the Market.

"I wouldn't marry the best man in the world."

"You will not have the chance. I am already engaged."—N. Y. Times.

All She Could Handle.

"Couldn't you learn to love me?"

"No. Pa says I mustn't add any more fool fads to my curriculum."—Judge.

WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, November 3, 1902.

From Omaha comes a startling story of forgery. It is alleged that Representative Mercer has been reprinting pages of the Congressional Record after altering the proceedings to suit his own ends and has been sending them out under his frank. It is stated that Mercer is sending out an alleged excerpt of the Record which represents that he voted for a bill providing for government control of public utility corporations, which bill was never discussed in the House but was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and there killed by the republican majority. As Mr. Mercer is known to be a particular friend of the Secretary of Agriculture his alleged conduct reflects seriously on Mr. Wilson and to some extent on the administration proper.

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The first formal meeting of the anthracite Coal Strike Commission, which took place Monday week, was widely heralded as demonstrating the success of the President's arbitration policy but as a matter of fact, although the meeting only dealt with preliminaries, there was much in it which might be taken to portend failure. The most serious development was the discovery that there was a large number of operators in the anthracite region who were not party to the agreement to arbitrate and who were not represented at the meeting. As they own a large number of collieries it will be practically impossible to ask the railway presidents to observe any decision of the Commission not observed by their competitors and therefore the whole success of the Commission's work is threatened. It is even claimed that the railway presidents have purposely misled the President in regard to the proportion of collieries which they operate, with a view of being able to ask him, when the Commission shall have rendered its findings, to compel all the operators to observe them. That, the President would have no power to do and because it would be unfair to compel one set of operators to observe regulations not compulsory with their competitors, they would escape the fullfillment of their promise to abide by the findings of the Commission. Mr. Mitchell said that he had understood that all the operators were party to the agreement, but that Pres. Baer emphatically denied. He also stated that while no objection would be made to Mr. Mitchel's representing the miners as a whole he must not be regarded as the president of the miners' union. Mr. Truesdale, of the D. L. & W. Ry., said that he hoped to effect a settlement of practically all the differences between himself and his employes through a committee to be appointed by the latter and that only differences which could not be so reconciled would be brought to the attention of the Commission. By this means it was hoped to supplant Mitchel by a committee of the miners' selection, and thus eliminate him from the proceedings in so far as the D. L. & W. was concerned, at least.

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Attorney General Knox, doubtless, greatly to the surprise of Senators Hanna, Spooner and several others, has found that the title to the Panama canal property is perfectly clear and now the government will bend its energies to the negotiation of a treaty with Columbia. Such a treaty is made extremely difficult by provisions in the canal bill undoubtedly inserted for that purpose. The bill provides for absolute and perpetual sovereignty over the zones of land through which the canal will pass. This, according to the Columbia constitution, cannot be granted. It was pointed out to Mr. Spooner that such was the constitution of the United States of Colombia at the time he drafted his bill but he would take no heed. Colombia offers a lease for 100 years with the privilege of renewal for another 100 years, but that is not according to the canal bill and there must be either a change in the Colombian constitution or further Congressional legislation here, an end which the opponents of any canal desire, as it will give an opportunity for postponing further action, in the interests of the railroads, It may be said that the United States can force Colombia to accept its terms or else build the canal by way of Costa Rica Nicaragua but in the latter instance the same obstacle would be met. None of the countries can barter away a part of their territory.

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13	Croup, Laryngitis, Hoarseness.....	.25
14	Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Eruptions..	.25
15	Rheumatism, Rheumatic Pains.....	.25
16	Malaria, Chills, Fever and Ague.....	.25
19	Catarrh, Influenza, Cold in the Head	.25
20	Whooping-Cough	.25
27	Kidney Diseases.....	.25
28	Nervous Debility.....	1.00
30	Urinary Weakness, Wetting Bed..	.25
77	Grip, Hay Fever.....	.25

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE

LACKAWANNA RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

In effect Jan. 26, 1902.

STATIONS.	EAST. A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Northumberland	10 35	1 55	10 00	5 25
Cameron	6 47	12 51	10 10	5 34
Danville	6 57	2 11	10 19	5 43
Catawissa	7 10	2 23	10 32	5 56
Rupert	7 16	2 29	10 37	6 01
Bloomsburg	7 20	2 33	10 41	6 05
Espy	7 28	2 40	10 48	6 13
Lime Ridge	7 35	12 46	10 54	6 20
Willow Grove	7 40	12 51	10 57	6 24
Briarcreek	7 44	12 53	10 59	6 27
Berwick	7 50	2 58	11 05	6 34
Beach Haven	7 58	3 03	11 13	6 41
Hick's Ferry	8 07	3 09	11 17	6 47
Shickshinny	8 17	3 20	11 31	6 59
Hunlock's	8 27	3 31	11 39	7 09
Nanticoke	8 34	3 38	11 44	7 14
Avondale	8 37	3 42	11 47	7 22
Plymouth	8 44	3 47	11 52	7 28
Plymouth Junction	8 47	3 52	11 55	7 30
Kingston	8 55	4 00	11 59	7 38
Bennett	8 58	4 03	12 02	7 42
Forty Fort	9 00	4 07	12 04	7 44
Wyoming	9 05	4 12	12 08	7 48
West Pittston	9 10	4 17	12 12	7 51
Susquehanna Ave	9 13	4 20	12 14	7 56
Pittston	9 19	4 24	12 17	8 01
Duryea	9 23	4 29	12 20	8 06
Lackawanna	9 26	4 32	12 22	8 10
Taylor	9 32	4 40	12 28	8 17
Bellevue	9 37	4 45	12 32	8 21
Scranton	9 42	4 50	12 35	8 25

STATIONS.	WEST. A.M.	A.M	P.M.	P.M.
Scranton	6 35	1	1 55	5 10
Bellevue	6 39	3	1 59	6 14
Taylor	6 43	17	2 03	6 18
Lackawanna	7	10 24	2 10	6 24
Duryea	6	10 28	2 15	6 26
Pittston	6 57	10 33	2 17	6 30
Susquehanna Ave.	7 00	10 37	2 19	6 32
West Pittston	7 03	10 41	2 23	6 35
Wyoming	7 08	10 46	2 27	6 40
Forty Fort	7 12	10 49	2 31	6 43
Bennett	7 15	10 52	2 34	6 47
Kingston	7 21	10 56	2 40	6 53
Plymouth	7 30	10 00	2 45	6 58
Avondale	7 35	11 05	2 49	7 03
Nanticoke	7 39	11 09	2 54	7 08
Hunlock's	7 45	11 13	2 58	7 14
Shickshinny	7 55	11 19	3 06	7 21
Hick's Ferry	8 07	11 31	3 20	7 31
Beach Haven	8 13	11 43	3 30	7 41
Berwick	8 19	11 48	3 37	7 48
Briarcreek	8 23	11 54	3 44	7 53
Willow Grove	8 27	11 01	3 50	8 00
Lime Ridge	8 31	12 05	354	8 03
Espy	8 37	12 09	3 58	8 02
Bloomsburg	8 44	12 22	4 6	8 17
Rupert	8 47	19 22	4 12	8 20
Catawissa	8 54	12 25	4 15	8 25
Danville	9 06	12 33	4 22	8 37
Caulasky		12 44	f4 33	
Cameron	9 21	12 57	4 48	8 52
Northumberland	9 35	1 10	5 00	9 05
	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.

‡ Runs daily. f Flag station.

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SOUTH. ARRIVE. a.m	a.m.	p m	p.m.	STATIONS.	am	pm	pm	a.m
7.10	12.10	6.00	2.15	Bloomsbu'g	8.50	2 37	6 25	6.10
7 08	12.08	5.55	2.10	" P. & R	8.52	2.39	6.27	
7.03	12.02	5.53	2.08	" Main st.	8.55	2.42	6.30	
7.53	11.53	5 42	1 50	Paper Mill	9.05	2.52	6.40	
6.50	11.50	5.39	1.45	..Light st.	9.08	2.55	6.44	6.37
6.40	11.42	5.31	1.30	Orangeville	9.16	3.03	.55	6.50
6.29	11.31	5.21	1.00	..Forks..	9.26	3.13	6.08	7.10
6.25	11.29	5.17	12.55	...Zaner's..	9.30	3.17	6.07	7.35
6.18	11.21	5.08	12.45	Stillwater	9.38	3.25	6.13	7.45
6.08	11.13	5.00	12.35	...Benton..	9.46	3.33	7.23	8.00
6.04	11.09	4.56	12.10	...Edson's..	9.50	3.37	7 27	8.30
6.02	11 06	4.53	12.05	..Cole's Cr'k	9.53	3.40	7.31	8.40
6.53	11.02	4.48	11.58	..Laubach..	9.58	3.45	7.41	8.46
6.43	10.51	4.38	11.45	...Central	10.05	3.52	7.51	9.00
5.40	10.48	4.35	11.30	Jam. City.	10.08	3.55	7.55	9.5
am	am	pm	pm		am	pm	pm	am

LEAVE Corrected to Jan. 30, 1902 ARRIVE.

SOUTH.—B. & S. R. R.—NORTH

THE ARMY CANTEEN.

Adjutant General Corbin Will Strongly Recommend its Re-establishment.

The annual report of Adjutant General Corbin, to be made public shortly, contains a strong recommendation for the re-establishment of the army canteen. Special attention is called to the reports of the general officers of the army showing the effect of the present system on the health and morals of the soldiers. These reports will indicate an increased number of desertions, and more men were tried for drunkenness in the absence of the canteen than when it was in existence. Believing that the evil of drunkenness can be lessened by the sale of beer and light wines in the post exchange, Gen. Corbin urges the re-establishment of the canteen.

Secretary Root has not yet begun the preparation of his annual report, but in view of the almost unanimous opinion of army officers in favor of the canteen, he believes he should call the attention of Congress to the question with a view to having that body pass such legislation as is necessary to again permit the regulation of such sales by the war department.

Some people apparently go to a funeral to enjoy the ride. Only a few days ago, a cortege was passing and seated in a carriage near the end of the procession was a couple, laughing and chuckling in a very unbecoming manner. People who don't know how to conduct themselves at a funeral had better remain at home.

Pennsylvania Railroad.

Time Table in effect May 25, 1902

	A. M.	A. M	P. M	P M
Scranton(D & H)lv	‡ 6 38	‡ 9 38	‡ 1 42	‡ 4 27
Pittston " "	7 05	f10 00	2 10	4 52
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M
Wilkesbarre...lv	‡ 7 25	‡10 35	‡ 2 45	‡ 6 00
Plym'th Ferry "	‡ 7 32	f10 42	‡ 2 52	‡ 6 07
Nanticoke..... "	7 42	10 50	3 01	6 17
Mocanaqua..... "	8 01	11 07	3 20	6 37
Wapwallopen.. "	8 12	11 16	3 31	6 47
Nescopeck..... ar	8 18	11 26	3 42	7 06
	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
Pottsville..... lv	‡ 5 50		11 55	2 45
Hazleton ..... "	7 05		12 52	3 05
Tomhicken..... "	7 22		1 11	3 15
Fern Glen..... "	7 29		1 18	3 22
Rock Glen..... "	7 35			
Nescopeck..... ar	8 00		1 45	
Catawissa.....				4 00
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M
Nescopeck.....lv	‡ 8 18	‡11 26	‡ 3 42	‡ 7 00
Creasy..... "	8 30	11 36	3 52	7 01
Espy Ferry..... "	f 8 42	11 46	f 4 02	7 20
S. Bloomsburg "	8 47	11 50	4 06	7 25
		P.M.		
Catawissa..... ar	8 55	11 57	4 13	7 32
Catawissa.....lv	8 55	11 57	4 14	7 32
S. Danville..... "	9 14	12 15	4 31	7 51
Sunbury..... "	9 35	12 40	4 55	8 15
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M
Sunbury.....lv	‡ 9 42	‡12 48	‡ 5 10	‡ 9 46
Lewisburg ....ar	10 18	1 45	5 40	.....
Milton..... "	10 08	1 39	5 35	10 07
Williamsport.. "	11 00	1 41	6 30	10 55
Lock Haven..... "	11 59	2 20	7 34	.....
Renovo ..... "	A. M.	3 00	8 30	.....
Sale.....	.....	8 25	.....	.....
	P. M.	P. M.		
Lock Haven...lv	‡12 10	‡3 45	.....	.....
Bellefonte.....ar	1 05	‡4 44	.....	.....
Tyrone..... "	2 20	f6 00	.....	.....
Philipsburg.... "	4 35	‡8 02	.....	.....
Clearfield ..... "	5 25	‡8 48	.....	.....
Pittsburg..... "	6 55	‡10 45	.....	.....
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Sunbury.....lv	‡ 9 50	‡ 1 59	‡ 5 20	‡ 8 31
Harrisburg....ar	‡11 30	‡ 3 15	6 50	‡10 10
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Philadelphia..ar	‡ 3 17	6 23	‡10 20	‡ 4 25
Baltimore..... "	3 11	6 00	‡ 9 45	2 30
Washington... "	4 10	7 15	‡10 55	4 05
	A. M.	P. M.		
Sunbury lv	‡10 00	‡ 2 15	.....	.....
	P. M.			
Lewistown Jc ar	11 45	‡ 4 05	.....	.....
Pittsburg..... "	‡ 6 55	‡10 45	.....	.....
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M
Harrisburg.....lv	‡ 11 45	15 00	‡ 7 15	‡10 25
		A. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Pittsburg.....ar	‡ 6 55	‡1 50	‡ 1 50	‡ 5 30

‡ Weekdays. Daily. f Flag station

	P. M.	p. m	a. m.	a. m
Pittsburg.....lv	‡ 7 10	‡ 9 00	‡ 3 00	‡ 8 00
Harrisburg.....ar	A. M. ‡ 2 00	A. M. ‡ 4 20	‡9	P. M. ‡ 3 10
		a. m.	p. m.	a. m.
Pittsburg.....lv	.....	.....	.....	‡ 8 00
				P. M.
Lewistown Jc."	.....	‡ 7 30		‡ 3 00
Sunbury..... ar	.....	‡ 9 20		‡ 4 50
	p. m.	A. M.	A. M.	a. m
Washington....lv	‡10 40	.....	‡ 7 50	‡10 50
Baltimore..... "	‡11 41	‡ 4 40	‡ 8 40	‡11 45
Philadelphia... "	‡11 20	‡ 4 25	‡ 8 30	‡11 40
		A. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Harrisburg.....lv	‡ 8 35	‡ 7 55	‡11 40	‡ 3 20
Sunbury..... ar	‡ 5 00	‡ 9 36	1 08	‡ 5 05
	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
Pittsburg.....lv	‡12 45	.....	‡ 3 00	‡ 8 00
Clearfield ..... "	3 50	.....	.....	9 28
Philipsburg.... "	4 40	.....	.....	10 12
Tyrone..... "	7 00	.....	1	12 25
Bellefonte..... "	8 16	.....	9 32	1 05
Lock Haven...ar	9 15	.....	10 30	2 10
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Erie.....lv	‡ 5 35	.....	.....	.....
Kane..... "	8 45	.....	‡ 5 00	.....
Renovo..... "	11 50	‡ 6 45	10 30	.....
Lock Haven.... "	12 38	‡ 7 35	11 25	‡ 3 00
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Milton..... "	2 33	9 17	1 25	4 46
Lewisburg..... "	.....	9 05	1 15	4 42
Sunbury..... ar	3 24	9 46	1 55	5 15
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Catawissa..... "	7 32	10 35	2 36	6 08
E. Bloomsburg "	7 37	10 43	2 43	6 15
Espy Ferry..... "	7 42	f10 47		f 6 19
Creasy..... "	7 53	10 56	2 55	6 30
Nescopeck ....ar	8 02	11 05	3 05	6 40
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Catawissa.....lv	7 32	‡10 38	‡2 36	‡ 7 05
Nescopeck.....	8 23			6 08
Rock Glen.....ar		11 22	5 05	7 28
Fern Glen..... "	8 51	11 28	5 32	7 34
Tomhicken..... "	8 58	11 38	5 38	7 42
Hazleton ..... "	9 19	11 58	5 59	8 05
Pottsville..... "	10 15		6 55	
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Wapwallopen.ar	8 19	11 20	3 20	7 52
Mocanaqua..... "	8 31	11 32	3 30	7 01
Nanticoke ..... "	8 53	11 54	3 49	7 19
		P. M.		
Plym'th Ferry "	9 03	12 02	3 57	7 28
Wilkesbarre.... "	9 10	12 10	4 05	8 35
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Pittston(D & H) ar	‡ 9 39	‡12 55	‡ 4 56	‡ 8 36
Scranton " "	10 08	1 24	5 24	9 05

‡ Weekdays. ‖ Daily. f Flag station.

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For Williamsport, weekdays, 7.37 a. m., 3.36 p m.

For Danville and Milton, weekdays, 7.37 a. m. 3 33

For Catawissa weekdays 7.37, 8.38, 11.30 a. m 12.20, 5.00, 6.30, p. m.

For Rupert weekdays 7.37, 8.38 11.30 a. m., 12.20 3.33, 5.00, 6.30, p. m.

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Leave New York via Philadelphia 7.30, a. m., and via Easton 9.10 a. m.

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Leave Pottsville 12.30 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.49 p. m.,

Leave Williamsport weekdays 10.13 a m., .42 p m.

Leave Catawissa weekdays, 7.00, 8.21 9.16 a. m. 1.30 3.36, 6.08 p. m.

Leave Rupert, weekdays, 7.08, 8.28, 9.18 11.46 a. m., 1.38, 3.46, 6.21

For ATLANTIC CITY—Week Days—Express A. M., 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 10:00, 1:40, 11:30. P. M., 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 3:00, 3:40, 4:00, 4:30, 4:45, 5:00, 7:15, 8:30.

Sundays—A. M., 7:00, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00. P M., 4:45, 5:00.

For CAPE MAY—A. M., 7:30, 8:30, 8:45, 9:15, 11:15. P. M., 1:40, 4:10, 5:30, 5:30.

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ATLANTIC CITY.	CAPE MAY	OCEAN CITY
*6.00 A. M., Lcl.	§7.30 A. M.	§7.30 A. M.
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*9.00 A. M., Ex.	*8.45 A. M.	§9.15 A. M.
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§5.00 P. M., Ex.		§7.30 A. M.
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†c5.40 P. M.		†b4.10 P. M.
*7.15 P. M, Ex.		§5.00 P. M.
		†c5.40 P. M.

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RESOURCES.

Loans	$294,144 47
U. S. Bonds	50,000 00
Banking House	27,560 43
Stocks and Securities	183,706.75
Cash & due from Banks & U.S.Tr.	109,217.53
Total	$664,629.18

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 50,000.00
Surplus	125,000 00
Undivided Profits	14,067.24
Circulation	50,000.00
Deposits	428,561.94
Total	$664,629 18

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THANKSGIVING.

Governor Calls for Observance of the Day.

Governor Stone issued the following Thanksgiving proclamation on Saturday.

In accordance with time honored custom and following the action of the President of the United States, I, William A. Stone, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby name Thursday, November 27, as a day for thanksgiving and praise.

The citizens of the commonwealth have enjoyed a full measure of the continued prosperity which has been showered upon our nation.

In the past year we have received much for which we should be devoutly thankful and the future has abundant promise.

Not only have we been spared from disaster and disappointment, but the year has been filled with the things which advance the moral, mental and physicial welfare of our nation. Our experiences have been many and beneficial and we are stronger today in all that makes a permanent peace, happiness and material welfare than ever before.

Let us, therefore, on this day show our gratitude to the Divine source of these multiplied evidences of progress. Let us put aside our usual cares and labors and join with one another in a proper and enthusiastic observance of the day.

To this end I advise that religious exercises be conducted in all churches and that devout prayers be offered to Almighty God for a continuance of his guidance and care. Let us especially remember the sick and the needy and endeavor in so far as in our power to see that no one within the limits of our commonwealth shall be in want.

Given under my hand and the great seal of the State at the city of Harrisburg, this first day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred two, and of the commonwealth the one hundred and twenty-seventh.

WILLIAM A. STONE,
Governor.

W. W. GRIEST, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Real Estate Sales.

The property of J. S. Blue on East street was sold on Saturday to William Rhoads of Mahanoy City for $4,150. Mr. Rhoads we understand purchased the home for his son who will move here in the spring.

The James Sterner property situate at the corner of Catharine and Fifth streets was sold for $2,750.

The Thomas Gorrey property on Main street was bid up to $4,950 but it was not sold. It will be put up for sale again on Saturday.

Warning to Gunners.

This is the season of the year when newspapers caution those who use guns, to be careful, as accidents of a fatal or painful character take place each fall. For some reason each gunner seems to think that he will be exempt from danger and becomes careless. Guns and deadly weapons should be handled with extreme caution and never pointed at a person, even in jest.

MAMMOTH ELECTRIC PLANT.

To be Installed at Muncy Dam to Furnish Power to Surrounding Towns.

Work on the Muncy dam is about completed, and once more it is in good order. It is stated by authority that it is the intention of the canal company, or some other corporation growing out of it, to erect a huge electric plant near the dam, by the power of which electricity will be generated and conveyed to Williamsport and Muncy north and to Watsontown and Milton, and likely Lewisburg, south, at which places it is proposed to be sold to manufacturers and others, in the way of power, for all purposes at a less cost than it now costs the same parties for power by the old plans. It seems to be a thoroughly practical thing, for thousands of horse power of energy go to waste at this point hourly, which, if confined, must furnish all that can be used in the district named, From the dam to Williamsport, over the mountain, it is likely 10 or 12 miles, while Muncy is within four miles, and Watsontown, Milton and Lewisburg within 6, 10 and 14 miles, respectively, all of which makes the proposition practicable.—*Hughesville Mail.*

The Returns Given Out in an Admirable Manner.

Prof. J. H. Dennis of the Normal School had two lanterns in service throwing out the returns from the republican headquarters in County Chairman Duy's office Tuesday evening. The screen used was of good size and arranged so that it could be seen from all sides of the square. The scheme was an excellent one and the crowd, numbering a thousand or more, stood from early in the evening till after the midnight hour watching the returns During the intervals Mr. Dennis held the crowd by throwing upon the screen some very pretty views taken in the various countries of the world. A number of them were beautifully colored. Photographs, and good ones too, of prominent men in the affairs of state and nation, as well as the candidates for the various offices and well known men of town, were shown, all of which were well received. Seldom, if ever, have the election returns been handled and given out so admirably and Mr. Dennis is to be congratulated.

Manager Stillwell Skips.

L. M. Stillman, manager of the Huntington Valley Canning Company at Town Line, has skipped and it is alleged that he got away with a thousand dollars of the company's money. Stillwell came from Luzerne to take charge when the cannery was projected and superintended the building of the plant and installing of the machinery. When the plant went into operation he managed the canning operations. He was not given control of the finances, however, but secured the funds, it is claimed, by having a shipment of goods for Scranton consigned to him. He disposed of the goods and pocketed the proceeds, it is alleged. It was supposed he was away attending to the business of the company until late last week when his family left Huntingdon Mills where they had been living since spring. When the officers took the matter up they found the above state of affairs existing.—Mountain *Echo.*

Mrs. Rubba—How's Mrs. Chatter this morning, doctor?

Doctor—Suffering terribly.

Mrs. Rubba—What, with only a slight throat affection?

Doctor—Yes, but she can't speak.—Chicago News.

The Limit.

Worthless Husband—Going to leave me, are you, Moll? Didn't you take me for better or worse?

Long-Suffering Wife—Yes, but you are absolutely the worst. I didn't take you for that.—Chicago Tribune.

HISTORIC STAGECOACH.

Preserved In the Postal Museum at the National Capital.

One of the most interesting relics of obsolete postal service to be seen at the museum in Washington, says the Washington Post, is an old time Rocky Mountain combination passenger and mail coach, built in 1868. This was among the first of its kind to carry the mails in Montana, the route of this particular coach being from Helena to Bozeman, the trip consuming a week. The residents along the same section now receive four mails daily. The coach was donated to the museum by S. S. Huntley, general manager of the Yellowstone Park Transportation company. It was captured by Indians in 1877 and recaptured after a hot pursuit by General Howard. Many distinguished persons have traveled in it, among them being General Garfield, before he was president; President Arthur, on a visit to Montana in 1883, and General Sherman, on a tour of inspection in 1877. The latter was a passenger when the coach made the distance from Fort Ellis to Helena, 108 miles, in eight hours, six horses being the team, with frequent relays.

This antiquated affair on wheels is the simon pure, typical stagecoach of the Beadle dime novel. The James brothers and the Fords may have enriched themselves by looting this identical relic of the west. There are a front and rear boot, the former, under the driver's seat, being the repository of Uncle Sam's mail bags, the rear boot serving to carry baggage. Heavy leather springs and iron tires to the wheels half an inch thick enabled the vehicle to withstand the rough usage to which it was subjected. With a capacity inside for nine people, others riding on top and beside the driver, with slots in the sides of the coach through which rifles could be aimed, it seemed evident that a knight of the road had to be of reckless mold to tackle one of these once a week "expresses."

POULTRY POINTERS.

Never give poultry water in the morning before feeding.

All the stimulants breeding fowls need is wholesome food and drink in proper quantities.

To fatten the cockerels rapidly, confine them in close quarters and feed cornmeal cooked in milk.

Short legged fowls fatten quickly. Long legs are hard to fatten. Those first hatched fatten quickest in a brood.

Fowls seldom tire of milk. They may eat too much grain or meat, but milk in any form is palatable and healthy.

The roosting poles should be on a level with each other. This will prevent the fowls all trying to roost on the top perch.

A fowl or animal in which an excellence is constitutional is apt to transmit all this excellence in all the developed power and beauty to its progeny.

In selecting for breeding the pullet should be at least a year younger than the cock. This will conduce to the strength and good health of the offspring.

A String to It.

Bridget and Norah Murphy, fresh from Ellis Island, had set out to make their "return calls" on their cousins, the McGooligans, at service in an aristocratic part of the city. Upon arriving at the house, instead of being confronted by the usual bell knob, nothing but a stingy, mean apology of a knob in the shape of a little black button met them. Bridget got hold of the button and gave it a pull, but her fingers slipped before there was any audible ring from within. Again and again she tried with the same result, until she turned the job over to "Nonie." Then the latter yanked and twisted without success, until both stood on the landing gazing helplessly at each other. Then light came unto Bridget.

"I'll tell you phwat it is," she said. "They're playin' th' joke on us fur greenhorns an' th' devils are within houldin' th' shtring!"—New York Tribune.

"He seems to have something great on his mind."

"Yes. He claims that he paid $25 for the hat he is wearing."—Chicago Record-Herald.

The Way a Woman Begins.

"Have you finished that new novel yet?" he asked.

"Oh, dear, no; I've hardly begun," she answered. "In fact, I've only read the last chapter."—Chicago Post.

Dark Hair

"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor for a great many years, and although I am past eighty years of age, yet I have not a gray hair in my head."
Geo. Yellott, Towson, Md.

We mean all that rich, dark color your hair used to have. If it's gray now, no matter; for Ayer's Hair Vigor always restores color to gray hair. Sometimes it makes the hair grow very heavy and long; and it stops falling of the hair, too.

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If your druggist cannot supply you, send us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Address, J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

An Ancient Foe

To health and happiness is Scrofula—as ugly as ever since time immemorial.

It causes bunches in the neck, disfigures the skin, inflames the mucous membrane, wastes the muscles, weakens the bones, reduces the power of resistance to disease and the capacity for recovery, and develops into consumption.

"A bunch appeared on the left side of my neck. It caused great pain, was lanced, and became a running sore. I went into a general decline. I was persuaded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and when I had taken six bottles my neck was healed, and I have never had any trouble of the kind since." MRS. K. T. SNYDER, Troy, Ohio.

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will rid you of it, radically and permanently, as they have rid thousands.

COURSE AT ANNAPOLIS 3 YEARS.

Term Shortened in Order to Provide Officers for the Navy.

An order has been issued by the Navy Department and forwarded to the Naval Academy of a three years course of the Naval Academy at Annapolis for an indefinite period.

This is the most sweeping change in the Academy curriculum which has taken place for years, and is made on account of the pressing need of naval officers. The present first class, which would have graduated in June 1903, will graduate in February of that year, and the class of '04 will graduate in February instead of June, 1904. The present third class, '05, will graduate in June 1904, and thereafter until further orders all classes will graduate a year earlier.

Bloomsburg relatives and friends have been apprized of the marriage of Herbert Moses and Miss Jennie Beckley. The ceremony took place in Harrisburg. The bride is the youngest daughter of the late D. A. Beckley. The groom is a son of Rev. William Moses, a former pastor of the M. E. Church, of Catawissa.

Musical comedy seems to have a great hold on public favor, nowadays. In New York "Florodora" ran for two years—during the past summer six big musical comedies ran all summer long on Broadway.

The latest and one of the best candidates for public favor in the musical comedy line is "A Runaway Match" which comes to the Opera House Saturday Matinee and night.

It is one of the brightest, cleverest, and daintiest pieces of the kind ever offered the American public. No musical comedy is now complete without a sextette and the special feature of "A Runaway Match" this season is the "Nancy Brown" sextette. Nancy Brown is the most popular song of the day having been sung all summer in the big city productions. There is also a male quartette, a mixed quartette and a number of other bright and telling specialties.

A Sad Case.

"Great Heaven!" he said. "It seems incredible!"

And with a gasp he laid the newspaper on his desk.

"To think that, in this enlightened land, at the dawn of the twentieth century, a man should be found who never heard of George Washington or Abraham Lincoln or even"—here the great patent medicine proprietor almost sobbed—"or even of our world-renowned Perfection pills!"—Puck.

Sprouted Again.

My sister had a baby tooth which needed pulling, and brother Charlie, aged five, said he would pull it for her, which he did. Several days afterward the new tooth, which had just pushed through the gum and could be plainly seen, was discovered by Charlie and he said:

"Why, that mean thing. I thought I pulled it clear out, and here it is sprouting up again."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Ignorant Nurse.

"Mater!" cried little Emerson Bosting, "may I not amuse myself with the viditequus?"

"Yes. You may permit him to do so, nurse."

"But, what is it he wants, ma'am?" inquired the new nurse.

"The saw-horse, I suppose you would call it," said Mrs. Bosting, admirably concealing her impatience at such ignorance.—Philadelphia Press.

The Modern Machiavelli.

"What is your opinion of oratory in modern politics?"

"It may be made very useful," answered Senator Sorghum. "Very frequently, for instance, a good strong speech against monopolies in general may divert suspicion from you and enable you to do a good turn for a corporation without risk or embarrassment."—Washington Star.

Political Economy.

Tramping Tom—There goes one of the fellers that's responsible for half our troubles.

Wayfaring William—Wot's he done?

Tramping Tom—He works every day in th' year, 'cept Sundays, an' earns people's money away from them. If it wasn't for such fellers as him, folks had more money for grub.—N. Y. Weekly.

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CORN CONTEST!

We will give away a

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Corn to be raised in Columbia County. This offer will remain open until December the 1st when Judges will decide the contest.

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$5.98 and $7.50 Ladies' Walking Skirts at $4.98.
$8.50 Ladies' Walking Skirts $6.50.
$10.00 " " " $7.50.

Special Sale of Ladies' Tailored Suits in Colors.

This sale will begin Nov. 5, and last until Nov. 15. The same styles in suits we have sold all fall at 11.00, 11.50 and 12.00. We will sell them at 7.98.

F. P. Pursel.

Night School.

Classes in Arithmetic, English, Mechanical Drawing, Stenography Typewriting, Penmanship, and a reading course will be conducted during the winter months in the Young Men's Christian Association.

These classes give wage earners an opportunity to increase their education, their earning capacity or to fit themselves for a better position. Call at the Y. M. C. A. and enroll at once.

TAILOR-MADE SUITS.

N. S. Tingley has accepted the agency for Reinach, Ullman & Co. of Chicago, merchant tailors, and is ready to supply made-to-measure clothing at prices lower than can be obtained elsewhere. He has a large line of samples to select from. His place of business is the third floor of the COLUMBIAN building. 4t.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1902.

Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa as second class matter, March 1, 1888.

LOCAL NEWS.

Legal advertisements on page 7.

Apples are selling for $1 per barrel at Hughesville.

William W. Boone is Buck Glen's newly appointed post-master.

Ask Mercer for it, if he has not got it he will get it for you. Try it.

Christmas goods are commencing to arrive at The Leader Store Co., Ltd.

Miss Beulah McPherson has accepted a position in the Bell Telephone Exchange. She will keep the books.

Captain Edward Reese of Park Place attended the funeral of little Marion Hartman, his grand-child, on Monday.

The largest line of lamps in Old Columbia County at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

The minstrel entertainment at the Normal for the benefit of the Athletic Association has been postponed from Nov. 8th to Nov. 24th.

If you want a hot water bottle, fountain or bulb, syringe, nipples or baby fittings go to Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

G. A. Cline has changed his place of residence from Danville to Bloomsburg. He is occupying the Thomas Gorrey property on West Main Street.

Box papers from 10c. to 50c. Tablets from 5 to 25c. Envelopes from 5 to 16c. per pack. All stationery at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

[Bell Telephone.]

Why Can't I Get PURE SPICES?

How often you hear this question asked.

You Can if You go to RISHTON'S DRUG STORE!

I just received this week from Gilpin Langdon & Co., of Baltimore, who lead the world in PURE DRUGS and SPICES a consignment of spices put up in 2oz., 4oz. and 1 pound tin boxes, which they guarantee on every box as being absolutely pure and the very best.

The price is very little higher than the common truck sold as spices, but they are cheaper in the end because so much stronger. Come in and see them and get a book on spices.

We have the following kinds:

Allspice,	English Mustard,
Cinnamon,	Jamaca Ginger,
Cloves,	African Ginger,
Red Pepper,	Mace,
Paprika Pepper,	Sweet Margerum,
White Pepper,	Garden Sage,
Black Pepper,	Turkey Dressing.

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W. S. RISHTON,

Market Square Pharmacist.

Bishops Fowler, McCabe, and Warren have been appointed a committee to prepare an address to the Methodists of the country on the Twentieth Century offering movement.

Hog Cholera medicine at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

The A. & T. Biograph Company exhibited in the A. M. E. church last evening. The proceeds all went to the church, the A. & T. Co. making no charge for the exhibition.

Blank books, ledgers, day books, journals, counter books, cash books, legal paper, fools cap, letter paper and all stationery supplies at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

The Liberty Fire Company will hold a chicken and waffle supper Nov. 14th and 15th. The boys are preparing for a big patronage. They are worthy of your support, don't forget them.

All Philadelphia papers 2 cents, by the month delivered 30 cents, 25 cents a month at the store. J. W. MOYER.

Richard B. Fruit of Buckhorn and Miss Anna V. Hartman of the same place, were made man and wife by Rev. G. H. Hemingway last evening. The ceremony was performed at the Manse on Third street.

Lamps to burn at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

On Tuesday Nov. 18th, at two o'clock p. m. George Hutchings will sell a farm situate in Hemlock township, containing 28 acres and 105 perches. There is a good set of buildings on the premises.

At the Thursday afternoon session of the Luzerne County Teachers' Institute last week Dr. J. P. Welsh delivered an address on "The Personality of the Teacher" and Mrs, Veda B. Drum, *nee* Bowman rendered a solo.

Pure Drugs at popular prices is what you get at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

You will be pleased with the work, and they will be pleased to serve you at the Gem Steam Laundry.

The Berwick hotels are crowded to such an extent that traveling men are frequently unable to procure accommodations. The other evening three commercial men came to Bloomsburg and remained over night and returned to Berwick the next morning.

No nicer, in fact none as beautiful as the lamps that Mercer the Druggist is selling.

It will be a pleasing bit of news to the many friends of Alonzo M. Ent, to know that he was elected prothonotary, clerk of the courts and register of Elk County at Tuesday's election. Mr. Ent's majority this time is considerably greater than it was when he was elected before.

Perfection is attained in washing and ironing at J. E. Fidler's Gem Steam Laundry.

THE SENSE OF SIGHT

HOW AN INFANT SLOWLY LEARNS TO EXERCISE IT.

At First the Newborn Babe Has the Power Only to Distinguish Between Light and Darkness—The Development of the Power of Vision.

The sense most early exercised by the newborn infant is the sense of sight, but at first it has the power only to distinguish light from darkness and is in comparison with its later development blind, while in many of the lower creatures the senses are at birth fully developed.

What a difference there is between the dull eye of the newborn infant and the sharp vision of the young chick, which is able to pick up with precision a grain of corn or even snap up a fly while the eggshell may be still sticking to its back! The eye of the infant, however, is developed very gradually, and during infancy and childhood it learns how to see. In the first few days it notices the difference between light and darkness when the light is very intense, and it may even knit its brow in sleep if a bright light be brought close to its face.

On the same principle a striking bright color will also be noticed when held close to the face.

In all these cases, however, the infant follows the object by turning its head and not by the movement of the eyes.

The eyelids open and shut from birth, but they are not always moved at the same time with the movements of the eyeballs until the infant has reached the second or third month. Under two or three months of age infants do not wink when the hand or an object is waved before the face, because they do not see the hand distinctly.

One of the remarkable points of interest in the development of the infant's power of vision is the way in which it learns to appreciate the objects seen. It has to learn to discover the distance of objects, their shape, size, character, etc., and this it does with the assistance of the sense of touch.

The face of the mother or nurse is made familiar in that it is brought so close to the infant's face.

After the infant has learned to see objects distinctly at the distance of several feet it begins to use both eyes in common. At first the eyes act independently of each other, so that it undoubtedly has double vision and sees everything double. This double vision can be produced by many at will by looking "cross eyed."

The infant having reached the point when it sees an object clearly, it must also begin to understand objects of three dimensions—that is, to find out the difference between a flat surface and a solid body. Here the sense of touch also assists. The infant grasps an object and, putting it to its lips and face, satisfies itself as to the shape, character, etc.

It is interesting in this connection to note some cases in which a person born blind recovers sight when grown.

In one case a young man who had lost his sight in early infancy was so completely blinded that he could not distinguish even the strongest light from darkness.

After on operation on one eye had been successfully performed he began to see objects without understanding them—not being able to judge their distances from his eye—and he felt as if everything was touching his eye, so that to touch an object he at first would put one finger or the hand up before his face, pointing at the object aimed at, and reach forward until his finger came in contact with the object.

After he had recovered the use of both eyes he began to find out that everything was not flat, but that many things had a certain thickness as well as length and breadth, and in this way he began to see solid objects.

But even for a year or two after complete recovery he was unable to decide whether a certain figure was a flat surface, as in a painting, or a solid body.

He was also obliged to learn the different animals and objects, not knowing the difference between a cat and a dog until he had touched them.

We all go through just the same process of learning how to see in infancy. The child may be two or three years, or even older, before it has control over its eyes and can judge of the distance of objects in the room, etc.

The care of the eye is a question of great importance for mothers and nurses. The eyes of newborn infants should be carefully washed with fresh, clear water, and if anything unusual is noticed the physician should be seen. The infant's eyes are specially to be protected against too bright a light. It is by no means an uncommon thing to see a nurse wheeling a young infant in the carriage while the bright sun is pouring into the child's eyes. This does not argue against taking infants into the sun when the weather is not too warm, but the eyes should always be protected against the bright glare, whether direct or reflected.

He Wasn't One of the Two.

Uncle George—You are always complaining about your wife's bad temper, but you know it takes two to make a quarrel.

Harry—In this case the two are my wife and my wife's mother.—Boston Transcript.

Overplayed Themselves.

"Confound it!" exclaimed the sallow dyspeptic in the fifth row, under his breath. "We've overdone the applause. Instead of merely coming out and bowing her thanks, she's going to sing again."—Chicago Tribune.

Child labor is an undesirable "infant industry."—Boston Herald.

PURELY PERSONAL

Geo. B. Appleman was in town on Monday.

Percy Brewington of Benton was in town Monday.

J. R. Townsend is in the city this week buying goods.

Oliver Watts, of Middletown, Pa., has been visiting in Bloomsburg the past week.

Ben Gidding left on Monday for Mt. Carmel. He will go to Philadelphia before returning home.

Miss Kelly, manager of the Leader Store Co., Ltd., returned from the New York market on Saturday.

Mr. James Magee is in N. Y. this week looking after some of the large buyers who are now in the market.

Hon. Robert R. Little and wife arrived home Saturday from a visit with their son Harry Little of Mexico.

Miss Bertha Potter who has been employed as a tailoress by J. R. Townsend for several years past has resigned.

C. S. Furman and G. W. Mears departed yesterday for Philadelphia to attend a meeting of the War Medal Veterans' Association.

Miss Sophia VanNatta and Miss Carrie Long have returned home from a pleasant visit with Mrs. Geo. S. Robbins in New York.

E. F. Carpenter, cashier of the First National Bank, went to Philadelphia on Tuesday. His wife who is visiting in the city will return with him.

John W. Vogel's big minstrels consisting of more than fifty people will be seen at the Opera House Monday night. A glance at the roster of this organization, together with Vogel's reputation for handling nothing but the best precludes any possibility of an inferior performance. The scenery constructed for the first part is said to be the most elaborate and expensive ever built for a similar purpose. The setting is called the "Millionaire's Outing," a befitting title, because of the appropriate costumes and the powerful calcium and electrical effects used thereon. This is the only setting of the kind ever constructed.

Pennsylvania Railroad's Winter Excursion Route Book.

In pursuance of its annual custom, the Passenger Department of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has just issued an attractive and comprehensive book descriptive of the leading Winter resorts of the East and South, and giving the rates and routes and combinations of routes of travel. Like all the publications of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, this "Winter Excursion Book" is a model of typographical and clerical work. It is bound in a handsome and artistic cover in colors, and contains much valuable information for Winter tourists and travelers in general. It can be had free of charge at the principal ticket offices of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, or will be sent postpaid upon application to Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

POPULARITY OF RALPH KISNER.

His Election as District Attorney a Recognition of Ability.

The Danville *Morning News* has the following to say about a former Columbia county boy. The subject was born and raised at Millville.

"The election of Ralph Kisner, Esq., as District Attorney of Montour county is a recognition of his popularity and ability. He has only been in this county five years, but in that time the friendships made enabled him to recieve a vote that any candidate might well take pride in. He was the only Republican that carried the county and his plurality is close to four hundred.

When the vote cast for Pattison and the other Democratic candidates is taken into consideration the figure by which Mr. Kisner won is highly flattering. His election meets with general satisfaction and he is kept busy receiving the congratulations of many friends. There was no party principle involved in his campaign, but it was simply one of popularity and he ran exceptionally well throughout the entire county, as the returns from the various districts show."

We were unable to get up the full table of votes, for lack of time. The full official vote will be given next week.

CLARK'S.

BLACK DRESS GOODS.

All the wanted styles of the season are now ready for your selection. All the popular weaves in the famous "Priestley" Black Dress Goods are here. See the Cheviots, Etamines, Powderettes, Prunellas, Worsteds, Granites, Zibelines, Mohairs, Etc.

SILKS, VELVETS.

Black and colors. See our black silk velvets at 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00 and 2.25 yard.

Fancy Dotted Velvets at 75c. yd. Corduroys at 50c. yd. A good Taffeta Silk at 75 cents a yard.

FURS, FURS.

Neck furs; a full line of all the newest styles. See the Martin Chester Scarf at 5.00 each, the Isabella Fox at 7.50 with two full brush tails. Choice Isabella Fox at $20.00.

UNDERWEAR.

The good warm kind that wears. Ladies', Children's and Boy's fleeced 25c. Ladies' Union Suits 50 cts. and up. Ladies' vests and pants 75 and 1.00.

PETTICOATS.

A full line of those fine Mercerized Skirts that are made so good at 1.00, 1.40, 1.75, 2.00, 2.25, 3.00 each.

MILLINERY.

We are offering some decided values in FINE TRIMMED HATS in the very latest styles. Made in our own workroom. You should see them. Also Outing hats 48c. to $4.50. Untrimmed hats 50c. to $4.30. Ostrich feathers; a big assortment of plumes and tips at special prices. We do millinery work in all branches.

WAIST MATERIALS.

Of all kinds in cotton, silk and wool. The cotton starts at 8c. a yd. and up. The wool at 50c. a yd. and up. The silk at 60c. a yd. and up.

TABLE LINENS.

You like nice good table linen, of course you do. We have it and at prices to please you. 68in. cream Damask all linen 50c. yd. 70in. bleached Damask 1.00 yd. Also a full line of 3 and 3½ yd. cloths, border all around.

COATS, SUITS.

All the newest styles are here; Monte Carlo Coats, English box Coats, Half Fitting Coats. See the coats at $10.00, $12.00 and $15.00. Tailor made suits at $10.00, $11.00, $12.50, $13.50 and $15.00.

H. J. CLARK & SON.

SHOES OF ALL KINDS,

except inferior shoes, can be found here. We offer honest material, whether it be calf or kid, and made up in an honest manner, into stylish and durable footwear, for men, women and children.

Any and every new shape or style that is worthy of consideration will be found in our stock. Our ladies' shoes, at $2.00, have had a remarkable sale. Their merits have won friends everywhere. Another good shoe is Colonial Dame, at $2.50.

F. D. DENTLER.

TALK NO. 37.

A Defense to Weak Eyes.

Glasses are a defense to weak eyes. They ward off blindness, headache and indistinct vision. They supply what is lacking in the eyes—make a combination which forms a perfect eye. At the slightest indication of weakness or trouble consult an Optician. "Careful Examination Free—" It won't cost a cent—it saves you money. We are Opticians, reliable ones. To prove my assertion, I refer you to any of the hundreds I have fitted with glasses. I guarantee my work.

Geo. W. Hess,
OPTICIAN AND JEWELER, BLOOMSBURG, PENN'A.

CHANGED CONDITIONS

REQUIRE NEW METHODS.

The Hour Glass of our Great Grand-fathers did very well in those days, but times have changed. The successful men of today reckon time as money, a missed train or broken engagement means something lost.

A GOOD TIME KEEPER

Is an element in character building. A Watch that is always on time inspires promptness and teaches self reliance

J. Lee Martin, OPTICIAN AND JEWELER.
TELEPHONE 1842.

Judge Lacombe, of the United States Circuit Court, in a recent decision says that Porto Ricans are not citizens of the United States, but aliens. The basis of the decision is that they were born aliens, and that the treaty of Paris did not make them citizens, but left their civil rights and political status to be determined by Congress.

Hallow e'en was celebrated in a fitting manner in Bloomsburg Friday evening. The celebrants, principally children, numbering hundreds were out early in the evening and their grotesque makeups furnished much amusement. No damage was done and the night passed off very orderly.

DEADLY EXPLOSION.

Fifteen Killed While Celebrating Election Results.

FIREWORKS ACCIDENTALLY SET OFF

Madison Square, New York, In Which Immense Crowds Were Gathered Before Bulletin Boards, the Scene of the Horror.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—By a premature explosion of fireworks in Madison square last night fifteen people are believed to have been killed and forty seriously injured. Owing to the panic and confusion among the crowd watching the election returns it was impossible to make a correct estimate of the fatalities. The explosion took place among the fireworks that were to be set off to celebrate the announcement of the election returns. The report was so heavy that windows were broken in the houses around the square. When the first panic had subsided, sixteen persons were found unconscious on the ground. Some of these, however, quickly recovered. Others had been horribly mutilated.

The fireworks were piled on the east side of Madison square awaiting the time to set them off in the political celebration that was being held.

A great crowd of boys pressed around the place, and a squad of policemen tried in vain to keep them back.

It is not known just how the explosion occurred, but it is supposed that sparks from a bomb or a skyrocket set off in the square or from the roof of the Flatiron building dropped into the pile.

The explosion simply mowed down the crowd standing around.

Rockets and balls of fire whizzed through the air in every direction. The great mob in the square broke into a panic.

Ambulances were summoned from all the hospitals in the lower end of the city.

Fire alarms brought engines that created havoc among the throngs on Broadway.

An hour after the explosion the neighborhood for blocks around was in a turmoil.

HALE JOHNSON KILLED.

Prohibition Leader Shot by Man of Whom He Tried to Collect Debt.

EFFINGHAM, Ill., Nov. 5.—Hon. Hale Johnson, a Prohibition leader of national prominence and a vice presidential candidate on the Prohibition ticket in 1896, was shot and killed by Harry Harris late yesterday at Bogota, a village in Jasper county thirty miles from here. Mr. Johnson, who was practicing law at Newton, the county seat, went to Bogota to collect an account on which judgment had already been rendered against Harris.

An altercation occurred between Johnson and Harris at the Harris home, and the latter secured a shotgun and fired at Johnson at close range, the charge striking Johnson in the face and causing instant death. Immediately after the shooting Harris jumped into Johnson's buggy and attempted to make his escape, but was apprehended by a deputy sheriff who had accompanied Johnson and who was a witness to the shooting. Johnson's body was taken to his home in Newton, and Harris was locked up in jail in the same place.

Harris at a late hour committed suicide in the county jail by taking poison.

Johnson was the nominee of the Prohibition party in this state for governor in 1896, but later accepted the nomination for the vice presidency and withdrew as gubernatorial candidate.

Venezuela Rebels Beaten.

CARACAS, Venezuela, Nov. 5.—The government reports having gained a decisive victory over the revolutionists last week. Government troops dislodged the rebels from their last stronghold at Pipe, near San Mateo and six miles from La Victoria. The revolutionary leaders Mendoza, Matos, Rolando, Crespo, Torres and others, according to government reports, have been scattered, and the disbanded rebel army passed through Villa de Cura last Sunday night. The rebel general Riera is reported to have been killed.

St. Pierre Devastated.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Nov. 3.—The town of St. Pierre, Miquelon, has been devastated by fire. A destructive conflagration started at night and swept the main portion of the town. The governor's house, the government buildings, the courthouse, the building occupied by the ministry of marine, the Roman Catholic cathedral, the presbytery, the schools and a number of other buildings were destroyed.

A Bold Burglar.

CLINTON, Ia., Nov. 4.—During the night a burglar entered the residence of C. A. Fay, editor of the Advertiser, and with a pistol which he took from under Fay's head, after lighting the gas, compelled Fay and his wife to give him money and diamonds valued at $1,300. The robber then backed out of the room and escaped.

Buying Cement In Germany.

BERLIN, Oct. 31.—Unusually heavy American orders for Portland cement have been placed in Germany, and several cargoes are afloat, including Berlin shipments. The demand is attributed to the construction of the New York underground railroad.

Cholera Rages In Palestine.

JERUSALEM, Nov. 3.—There have been [illegible] deaths from cholera here and seventy-eight at Ghuzzeh during the past week. Great distress prevails at Lydda because of the total inadequacy of medical aid there to cope with the disease.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Notable Events of the Week Briefly and Tersely Told.

John Ehrgood of Gouldsboro, Pa., shot a big black bear in his orchard.

Robbers blew open the vault in the bank at Greenwood, Wis., and secured $11,000.

The new budget in Japan estimates the revenue at $129,000,000 and the expenditures at $131,000,000.

A magnificent specimen of golden eagle was shot near Milford, N. Y., by John Hesdorfer of New York.

Albany, N. Y., rejected by an overwhelming majority the offer of $165,000 by Andrew Carnegie for a library.

Tuesday, Nov. 4.

Seven hundred iron molders struck at Cleveland, O.

Many sheep perished in snowfall in Texas and New Mexico.

A rich vein of gold has been discovered in the Black Hornet district of Idaho.

The Chinese government is to send students for post graduate courses at American universities.

Advices from Guatemala were that 200,000 hundredweight of this year's coffee crop were lost as a result of eruptions of the volcano of Santa Maria.

Monday, Nov. 3.

The house of Joseph Kordeck in Chicago was blown up by a dynamite bomb, killing two members of the family and injuring several others.

Charles H. Miller, a noted landscape engineer, died in Philadelphia, aged seventy-three.

Fire at Larchmont, N. Y., destroyed several business blocks and the homes of a dozen families.

President Roosevelt spent the second day of his Virginia outing in visiting the battlefield of Cedar Mountain.

Walter Cole, full back of the Tennessee Deaf and Dumb school football team, was reported to be dying as a result of injuries received in a game played at Maryville, Tenn.

Saturday, Nov. 1.

Dogs saved four men from fire in Chicago.

The Morgan Opera House at Sharon, Pa., was ruined by fire.

The transport Sheridan arrived at San Francisco from Manila.

Indications are that South Manitou island will sink in Lake Michigan.

Chicago beef packers are said to be planning to control stockyards as well as packing houses.

Edmund Bersch was convicted of perjury in the St. Louis boodle case and sentenced to the penitentiary.

Goods and library of Rev. Dr. Moorehouse, famous as a debt raiser in the Methodist church and now reduced to want, brought barely $70 at auction.

Friday, Oct. 31.

The sum of $53,497,180 was paid by the ship trust for the White Star line.

Three persons were killed and one badly hurt in a train wreck near Oxford, O.

The Archduchess Elizabeth of Austria has been betrothed to Prince Johann von Lichtenstein.

Colonel Swayne's Somaliland expedition has reached Berbera. His wounded are doing well. The British are gathering a large force to attack Mad Mollah.

Six months' imprisonment in the Kings county penitentiary was the sentence pronounced by Judge Kellogg of Yonkers, N. Y., on W. B. Raymond, the automobilist who caused the accident in which twenty-two persons were hurt.

Thursday, Oct. 30.

Musicians in Paris theaters, 1,200 in all, voted for a general strike.

Chicago and Alton Railroad company advanced the wages of its shopmen.

Burglars dynamited the vault of the private bank of Charles K. Knapp, in Sodus, N. Y., obtaining, it is believed, $5,000 in cash.

About 2,000 shipyard joiners of the northeast coast of England have struck work as a protest against a 5 per cent reduction in their wages.

Ladrones Commit Outrages.

MANILA, Nov. 3.—A portion of a gang of ladrones which has been operating on the island of Biliran, just north of the island of Leyte, where they committed various outrages, crossed over to the island of Leyte last Wednesday and entered a small town near Carigara. Here they captured and beheaded the presidente of the town, murdered his wife, whom they slashed with bolos, and abducted the presidente's children. The motive of this crime is said to have been the presidente's friendliness with the Americans.

Son Shot by His Mother.

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 3.—Mrs. W. S. McLane of Covington, Va., shot to death her son William, thirteen years old, whom she mistook for a thief. Late in the night Mrs. McLane heard some one moving around the outside of the house. She called repeatedly, but noises continued, and, fearing she was about to be attacked, Mrs. McLane fired a shotgun out of a window. She opened the door and found her son dead. William was in a Halloween disguise and had just returned from a frolic with some of his young friends.

New Postage Stamp Out.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—The new issue of 13 cent postage stamps is out. The postmaster general has just received the first sheet of the printed stamps, and the stamps shortly will be on sale in all the postoffices in the country. The issue bears the portrait of the late President Harrison.

Governor Yates' Condition Alarming.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 5.—The condition of Governor Yates is considered very alarming. He has been in a delirious condition all day, and his temperature is 104 degrees.

NO WASTE ALLOWED.

Business Nowadays Is Conducted on Narrow Margins.

Therefore Stuff That Was Once Considered Worthless Is Worked Over Until It Becomes Valuable Merchandise.

[Special Chicago Letter.]

"IT IS not the money you make, but the money you save, that can make you rich."

This is the maxim that nearly every boy earning three dollars a week hears from his father. But the father—if he happens to be one of the kind that practice what they preach—has been

"WE MUST BE CAREFUL"

applying this maxim in his business all his life.

Economy in manufacture, reduction of expenses in the handling of goods by the merchant—these are to-day the primary objects of every shrewd business man. In the largest cities where the greatest fortunes are made, the principle is carried farthest. Step into any big factory or into the office of a large mercantile house, and you will see this principle of economy carried out on the most gigantic scale, and at the same time in the most minute detail.

A committee soliciting contributions for a charity recently called at the office of a millionaire manufacturer in New York city. The visitors appeared just as the millionaire was severely scolding one of his bookkeepers for wasting a sheet of paper.

"Surely, we wont' get a cent here," whispered a lady of the committee. "Not from such a stingy old man."

Great was the ladies' surprise when the millionaire wrote out a check for $500 for the charity. The donor seemed to guess the woman's feelings, and remarked, coolly:

"You see, madam, we can afford these little charity outlays here, because we don't let our employes waste papers or pencils in the office. We're just as careful in the factory, and we have figured it out that we clear $500 a week that way."

Upon asking for the privilege of going through the factory, the members of the committee met a polite but positive refusal.

"It costs too much," the millionaire explained.

"We'll pay for a guide," a gentleman rejoined.

But the millionaire shook his head and figured it out. There were 2,000

IN A TOY FACTORY.

employes in the factory, he said, getting an average of 20 cents an hour. If visitors appeared, every man would look up from his work, many dropping the task in hand—a minimum average delay of three minutes. This would make $20 a visit, and with the rule against visitors once broken, the millionaire said, his factory would, or might soon, so raise the cost of production as to wipe out profits.

"Five hundred dollars for charity is nothing," he concluded. "But five cents wasted in violation of business principles is the first step toward bankruptcy."

Mr. A. D. Converse, head of the largest toy factory in the United States, in an interview recently, pointed to the enormous value of the waste products of manufacture. Fully ten per cent. of the total manufactured product of the country, he said, was obtained by careful utilization of remnants. Without ingenuity and constant watchfulness the factories of the country would lose this margin, and thereby find more than their total profit wiped out. Mr. Converse was asked how American toy manufacturers managed to compete against the starvation wage products brought to this country from Europe. Employes in American factories get from three to four times the wages of the boys and girls making toys in Swiss and German towns, and yet in recent years American toys have undersold the imported article.

"Of course, labor-saving machinery has much to do with it," said Mr. Converse. "But the European manufacturers are getting the same machines that we have here. We Americans, however, keep the trade, because we know how to save—that is, save in the right way. There is no trick in selling. It is only when we learn to make goods so that we can sell them at a profit, while the other fellow in order to compete must sell them at cost, that we clinch trade. And this margin of profit we secure by making the most out of all that might seem to be waste product. For instance, in that toy railroad train yonder, every chip of iron scrap is used in the manufacture of some smaller toy, and if we have a little iron left over on that, we keep it for a still smaller toy. The scraps of cloth, even the pieces of wood, are used up in the same way, and I tell you we spend many dollars of time cheerfully, to think out a plan for saving one drop of paint on every toy."

By throwing nothing away, by utilizing every particle of supposed waste so as to coin it into the largest possible number of dollars, the Union Stock Yards plants of Chicago have become the enormous institutions they are to-day. It has been aptly said that everything about the poor pig is utilized except its dying squeal. In fact, the value of the pork pales into insignificance compared with the by-products: Grease for the soapmaker, a hide for the tanner, hair for the brush manufacturer, blood and brains for the chemist, various remnants for the gluemaker, etc. On a large scale all this can be saved, and thus the farmer and country butcher, with lesser facilities, are knocked out of competition.

Now follow the course of the pork itself after it has left the hands of the packers. Perhaps the meat is sold first to some high-class hotel. There the chef cuts up the best portions for his guests; what is left is sold to some ordinarily good restaurant. In a big city this sort of a restaurant will waste none of the remainder. One part—that which never left the kitchen—is sold to the cheaper restaurants, and the rest, the scraps from the plates of the guests, is carefully gathered for the "hash houses" in the poorest districts of the city. So far has this system been carried in Chicago that the proprietor of a large restaurant told me that men in his business could no longer compete at a profit unless they made this profit by selling their waste product for a cent or so per pound.

HOW STALE BREAD IS USED.

Did you ever stop to consider that what is the waste or remnant of one factory is the raw material for some other kind of manufacture? To go back for illustration to the pig. One waste product of the stock yards is hog-grease. This is a raw material for the manufacturer of soap. From the grease the soapmaker gets another waste product—glycerine—which in former years was thrown away with the so-called spent lye. Recently, however, soapmakers have recognized the importance of extracting the glycerine from the waste and selling it. The big factories have done so and have thus been able to cut prices on the soap itself until the smaller competitor was placed in a sad plight. The big soapmakers sell the glycerine to the manufacturers of nitroglycerine. These men use what they need of the product, and their waste product in turn is sold to the makers of dyestuffs, where finally the last cent's worth of the original hog-grease is utilized.

Still more complicated is the manufacture of coal tar products. When gas is obtained from coal there are two waste products—the coke and coal tar. That apparently is all, and were it not that both of these can be sold at a good price the cost of gas would be three or four times as great as it is. But from the coal tar itself thousands of dollars' worth of waste product can be extracted by distillation, each in turn a waste product or remnant of the previously left-over product. Thus creosote to preserve lumber, oils, such as benzine and naphtha, aniline dyes, saccharine, much sweeter than sugar, antiphyrrine and other medicines, perfumes and chemicals, something over 50 different products sold to over 200 different industries, are obtained from smeary coal tar which until a few years ago was often thrown away as useless. So thoroughly have the manufacturers of artificial gas recognized the importance of utilizing these waste products—in other words the economy of manufacture—that some overenthusiastic individuals in Philadelphia even suggested a process of distilling the pitch already contained in the asphalt street pavements.

E. T. GUNDLAGH.

BARGAIN BABIES.

If babies were for sale the most inveterate bargain-hunting woman in the world would not look for a bargain baby. She would want the best baby that could be bought, regardless of price.

Every woman naturally craves a healthy, handsome child, and her craving can be gratified if she will but remember that the child's health is her own gift, and to give health she must

have it to give. Mothers whose babies have been weak and puny have nursed in strength their first strong child after using Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is the best preparative for maternity, encouraging the appetite, quieting the nerves and inducing refreshing sleep. It gives the mother strength to give her child, and makes the baby's advent practically painless.

"My wife had been sick nearly all her life," says Mr. E. E. Fricke, of Petersburg, Menard Co., Illinois, Box 167, "and after trying everything I could think of I made up my mind to try 'Favorite Prescription.' I got six bottles, which my wife took, a tablespoonful three times a day, until the baby came. She felt better after taking the first bottle, and when baby was born he weighed nine and a half pounds. To-day he is six months old and weighs twenty-two pounds. He is as good a child as any one could wish. The doctor says he is as healthy as any baby could be, and also says the use of your 'Favorite Prescription' was the cause of such a healthy baby."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the best and safest laxative for the use of delicate women.

TRUST THOSE WHO HAVE TRIED.—I suffered from catarrh of the worst kind and never hoped for cure, but Ely's Cream Balm seems to do even that.—Oscar Ostrom, 45 Warren Ave., Chicago, Ill.

I suffered from catarrh; it got so bad I could not work; I used Ely's Cream Balm and am entirely well.—A. C. Clarke, 341 Shawmut Ave., Boston, Mass.

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cts., or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York.

People who say mean things don't always mean what they say.

There's a story of a farmer and his son driving a load to market. Of the team they were driving one was a steady reliable old gray mare the other a fractious, balky black horse. On the way the wagon was stalled and the black horse sulked and refused to pull. "What'll we do father?" said the father, "I guess we'll have to lay the gad on the old gray." That homely compliment to women: "The gray mare's the better horse" suggests how often when there's an extra strain to be borne it is laid on the woman's back. How often she breaks down at last under the added weight of some "last straw." Women who are dragging along wearily through life can gain real strength by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It puts back in concentrated form the strength making material which working women use up more rapidly than it can be restored by Nature in the ordinary processes of nourishment and rest. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are universal favorites with women because they are easy to take and thoroughly effective in curing the consequences of constipation.

The unsuccessful man is generally the most lavish with advice.

The eccentricity of genius would be considered boorishness in an ordinary mortal.

DR. AGNEW'S CATARRHAL POWDER.—Rev. W. H. Main, pastor of the Baptist Emanuel Church, Buffalo, gives strong testimony for and is a firm believer in Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. He has tried many kinds of remedies without avail. "After using Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, I was benefited at once," are his words. It is a wonderful remedy. 50 cents.—33

Sold by C. A. Kleim.

The lazy man who is content to take things as he finds them complains that he never finds them.

HELP THE OVERWORKED HEART.—Is the great engine which pumps life through your system hard pressed, overtaxed, groaning under its load because disease has clogged it? Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart is nature's lubricator and cleanser, and daily demonstrates to heart sufferers that it is the safest, surest, and most speedy remedy that medical science knows—34

Sold by C. A. Kleim.

A fat woman rejoices at getting thin until she makes the horrible discovery that her clothes no longer fit her.

LITTLE BRAVES.—Old time a quarter-a-box "Purgers" are quitting the field in whole battalions. Dr. Agnew's Little Pills at 10 cents a vial are driving them out at all points. Because they act gently, more effectively, never pain, and are easy to take. Sick Headache succumbs to one dose.—35

Sold by C. A. Kleim.

"Do you believe in long engagements?" he asked. "No," replied the summer girl, "the shorter the better."

HAVE YOU ECZEMA?—Have you any skin disease or eruptions? Are you subject to chafing or scalding? Dr. Agnew's Ointment prevents and cures any and all of these, and cures Itching, Bleeding and Blind Piles besides. One application brings relief in ten minutes, and cases cured in three to six nights. 35 cents.—36

Sold by C. A. Kleim.

The new issue of thirteen cent postage stamps is out and will soon be on sale in all the postoffices in the country. The issue bears a portrait of the late President Harrison.

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LIST OF JURORS

For December Term of Court, Commencing Monday, December 1, 1902.

GRAND JURORS.

1	Angle, H. W.,	undertaker,	Scott
2	Birch, Josip,	baggageman,	Bloom.
3	Bruner, John,	gent,	Millville
4	Clemens, Geo. E.,	bar.,	Berwick
5	Clemens, Fred,	foreman,	Berwick
6	Christian, J. C.,	farmer,	Pine
7	Derr, Calvin,	farmer,	Jackson
8	Fairchilds, Harvey,	farmer,	Briarcreek
9	Gordner, Benj. J.,	farmer,	Pine
10	Gillispy, John,	farmer,	Greenwood
11	Hartman, Hervey,	farmer,	Madison
12	Hagenbuch, J. S.,	farmer,	Centre
13	Johnston, W. C.,	clerk,	Montour
14	Kline, Ruby L.,	clerk,	Berwick
15	Lutz, John,	farmer,	Mifflin
16	Long, J. M.,	farmer,	Fishingcreek
17	McGeargell, Curtis C.,	far.,	Orange
18	Miller, W. M.,	butcher,	Fishingcreek
19	Mourey, G. Y.,	butcher,	Montour
20	Rich, R. L.,	butcher,	Greenwood
21	Rhodes, Isaiah	car.,	Clev'd
22	Sthoner, W. B.,	clerk,	Bloom
23	Trescott, Boyd,	surveyor,	Millville
24	Wolverton, J. K.,	merchant,	Bloom

PETIT JURORS—FIRST WEEK.

1	Albertson, Guy,	laborer,	Benton T.
2	Albertson, Francis,	farmer,	Jackson
3	Ash, Joseph,	farmer,	Benton
4	Bowman, John,	farmer,	Greenwood
5	Black, W. W.,	gent,	Bloom
6	Buckingham, G. A.,	tinner,	Berwick
7	Black, David, J. P.,		Centralia B.
8	Cuff, Michael,	agent,	Centralia B.
9	Deus, John,	laborer,	Pine
10	Everitt, T. H.,	farmer,	Pine
11	Edwards, Isaac,	physician,	Benton B.
12	Earhart, John,	clerk,	Bloom
13	Eves, Frank P.,	farmer,	Mt. Pleasant
14	Fairchilds, John,	farmer,	Briarcreek
15	Fairman, Thomas,	landlord,	Bloom
16	Hartzell, Boyd,	farmer,	Main
17	Hunsinger, Wilson,	heater,	Berwick
18	Henrie, Joseph,	farmer,	Orange
19	Herring, A. B.,	farmer,	Orange B.
20	Hower, David,	millwright,	Cata. T.
21	Hunsinger, Freas,	roller,	Berwick
22	Hampton, William,	far.,	Roaringc'k
23	Kester, Jeremiah,	miller,	Main
24	Knorr, Henry,	laborer,	Berwick
25	Keefer, J. F.,	foreman,	Benton T.
26	Melick, John,	farmer,	Mt. Pleasant
27	Mensch, William,	farmer,	Montour
28	McHenry, Allen,	sawyer,	Jackson
29	McEwen, Henry J.,	far.,	Greenwood
30	Mussleman, I. J.,	laborer	Scott
31	Mordan, Wesley,	carp.,	Bloom
32	Mather, S. Y.,	farmer,	Greenwood
33	Nuss, J. B.,	miller,	Main
34	Ohl, Isaiah,	machinist,	Bloom
35	Roan, Clark,	black smith,	Bloom
36	Roberts, Arthur,	merchant,	Montour
37	Runyon, Elmer W.,	farmer,	Montour
38	Rarig, Frank,	farmer,	Locust
39	Reichart, Cyrus,	farmer,	Madison
40	Sterling, Lloyd,	farmer,	Scott
41	Shultz, J. N.,	carpt.,	Benton T.
42	Savage, Harry,	merchant,	Bloom
43	Smith, F. M.,	engineer,	Main
44	Utt, G. W.,	gent,	Bloom
45	Volkman, Gathard,	farmer,	Montour
46	Wolf, John J.,	farmer,	Orange
47	Welsh, F. M.,	farmer,	Greenwood
48	Whitenight, Harry,	laborer,	Centre

SECOND WEEK.

1	Beck, William, H.,	farmer,	Centre
2	Bogert, William, J. P.,		Scott
3	Billig, John,	farmer,	Locust
4	Bodine, B. S.,	farmer,	Cleveland
5	Berger, John J., J. P.,		Catawissa B.
6	Burrows, Benjamin,	laborer,	Bloom
7	Crawford, Clinton,	farmer,	Mt. Pleas.
8	Creasy, H. B.,	farmer,	Catawissa B.
9	Freas, Perry,	clerk,	Orange B.
10	Frantz, Henry,	merchant,	Berwick
11	Ferris, O. F.,	farmer,	Briarcreek
12	Geary, J. H.,	miller,	Catawissa B.
13	Hutton, Sylvester,	farmer,	Orange
14	Hummel, John,	laborer,	Fishingcreek
15	Hawk, Wm. B.,	farmer,	Roaringcreek
16	Hawk, Frank,	farmer,	Beaver
17	Henkleman, George,	farmer,	Centre
18	Hayman, Peter,	farmer,	Greenwood
19	Hower, William,	farmer,	Mt. Pleas.
20	Hagenbuch, Isaac,	farmer,	Montour
21	Johnston, Chester,	farmer,	Madison
22	Keller, Sam'l Y.,	farmer,	Orange
23	Kramer, C. A.,	farmer,	Madison
24	McAnail, John R.,	marble cut.,	Berw'k
25	Mears, H. R.,	clerk	Montour
26	McAllister, William F.,	lab.,	Centre
27	Monroe, John S.,	mine eng.,	Conyng'm
28	Shaffer, J. D.,	contractor,	Bloom
29	Smith, Boyd M.,	merchant,	Berwick
30	Smith, Frank,	machinist,	Berwick
31	Vanderslice, W. P.,	far.,	Mt. Pleas.
32	Wenner, David,	farmer,	Fishingc'k
33	Welliver, John E.,	blk. smith,	Bloom
34	Welliver, Miles,	farmer,	Madison
35	Young, A. P.,	farmer,	Greenwood
36	Yohe, William,	farmer,	Mifflin

For the meeting of the American Banker's Association the Lackawanna Railroad will sell round trip tickets to New Orleans at greatly reduced rates. Tickets will be sold November 8, 9 and 10 and will be good for return leaving New Orleans within eleven days of the date of sale. By the payment of 50 cents additional the return limit will be extended to November 30. Ask nearest Lackawanna agent for full details. 16-4t.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children

Successfully used by Mother Gray, nurse in the Children's Home in New York. Cure Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the Bowels and Destroy Worms. Over 30,000 testimonials. *They never fail.* At all druggists, 25c Sample FREE. Address Allen S. Olmstead, Le Roy, N. Y. 10-23 6t

Leases, 3c each, 30c a dozen. Notices to quit, 10c a dozen. For sale at this office. tf.

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Uncle Sam Has Been Far Too Patient in Past Ten Years.

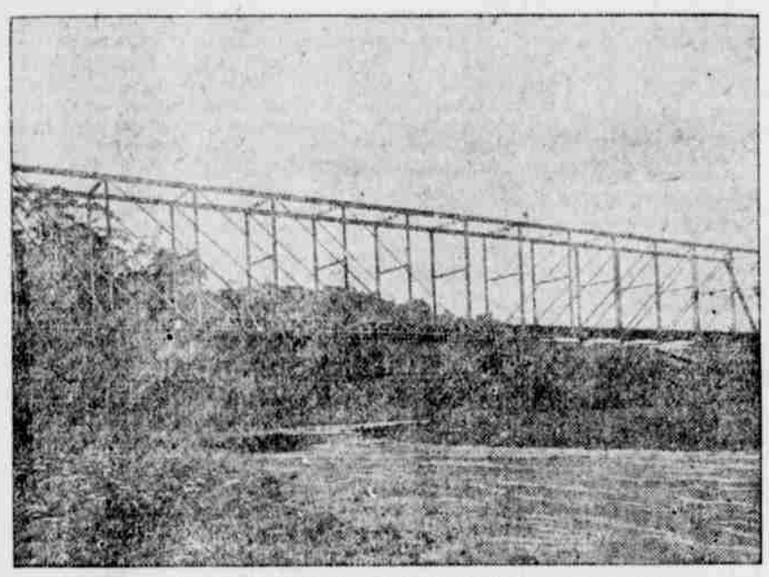
Monroe Doctrine Calls for Exercise of Power and Authority, in Justice to Ourselves and Other Nations.

[Special Correspondence.]

EUROPEAN publicists have had considerable to say lately about a new American political disease which they call "Monroe doctrinitis." As loyal citizens of the United States we should not be ashamed to admit the existence of the ailment, if such it be, because we have both the willingness and the means to effect a cure, whenever national judgment may deem it expedient to apply heroic remedies.

The isthmian canal bill, passed by the last congress, imposes new obligations upon us in the matter of maintaining peace in the Central and South American republics, as well as in the negro states of Hayti and San Domingo. The application of the Monroe doctrine, which renders the acquisition of territory on the American continent and the islands belonging to it by a European power casus belli, virtually compels us to exercise a sort of police power over the turbulent and rebellious peoples of the Latin-American states, and we cannot much longer delay the enforcement of measures calculated to insure peace and tranquility in Colombia, Venezuela and Hayti.

The recent destruction of the Haytien revolutionary gunboat Crete-a-Pierrot in the harbor of Gonaives by a German war vessel has opened the eyes of many hitherto conservative Americans to the necessity of applying drastic treatment to the blustering buccaneers of the irresponsible West Indian governments, and regret has been expressed that a foreign nation had to teach



MODERN STEEL BRIDGE ON THE PANAMA RAILROAD.

the negro admiral, Killick, who made an opera bouffe attempt to interfere with foreign commerce and shipping, a lesson which will prove of great benefit to other would-be heroes of his type.

Both Hayti and San Domingo have been a source of annoyance for many years, and it is doubtful if they can be made to behave themselves, unless annexed to the United States or, at least, placed under the protectorate of this country. American merchants and capitalists are deeply interested in the two negro republics, and should they be allowed to continue their present disastrous revolutionary policy for another decade the island which they occupy would be a desert waste and the people mobs of barbarians. Humanity, commerce and statesmanship alike demand em-

COLOMBIAN BOY SOLDIERS.

phatic action, and it is probable that as soon as congress convenes a bill will be introduced having for its object the acquisition of Hayti, and probably San Domingo as well.

Another squabble which must be settled by the United States before long is the revolution in Colombia, which has made property and shipping rights unsafe since October 17, 1899. This struggle has been one of the fiercest in the bloody history of Central America, and has cost over 50,000 lives. The so-called regular government has at various times placed 75,000 men under arms, and the revolutionists are believed to have mustered 35,000. How a country with a total population of less than 4,000,000 could have raised such a huge army might seem inexplicable if it were not known that the government has from time to time forced boys of 10 and 12 into the service. Some of these valiant soldiers are hardly able to carry a gun, but they are doing good service in securing provender for the older men in the field. Naturally, the republic is bankrupt.

Since the outbreak of the war the Colombian peso has declined in value from 25 cents in gold to about two cents. There are now about 250,000,000 pesos of inconvertible paper currency in circulation, which is legal tender for all debts and obligations. Confiscation of property, forced loans and contributions of war have been required of the people, and especially from those known to sympathize with the revolutionary party. Industry of every kind has been paralyzed, agriculture destroyed, many of the farmhouses burned and once prosperous villages abandoned. The revolutionists assert that they will die, but never give up their alleged struggle for liberty. They charge the conservative party, which rules the country, with having established a despotism. The president, they say, cannot be called to account for his actions and possesses arbitrary power to issue legislative decrees and to execute the laws by what is known as the "administrative process." He appoints his cabinet, the governors of the states and all executive officers, who become his personal agents. The church question is also involved, the liberal party asserting that the favors shown to the Roman Catholic clergy and orders in exemptions of trials before the common courts and from the payment of taxes, import duties, etc., are unjust to the rest of the population and should be abolished. The conservatives, on the other hand, charge the liberals with opposition to the Roman Catholic church, not so much on account of disliking the exemptions granted and the privileges given, as on account of opposition to all religion, and because they desire to lead immoral lives.

About 400 engagements have been fought by the two forces, in the course of some of which valuable property owned by foreign merchants and corporations has been destroyed, and several times the United States has had to interfere to protect the interest of its own citizens and those of European countries. Under a treaty made many years ago the United States assumed the responsibility of keeping the Panama railway open, and that is why we have had to keep war vessels at the Atlantic and Pacific termini of the road for several years. Should the commission, which is now trying to secure a clear title to the property of the French Isthmian Canal company, be successful in its efforts the Washington government would have to end the revolution, either by force or the outright purchase of the territory adjacent to the railway and ship canal. Certainly, Uncle Sam's patience has been tried to the verge of exhaustion.

Another pestiferous country which has been giving the United States much trouble is Venezuela, where Gen. Matos is directing a revolutionary campaign against President Castro, one of the most obnoxious of Latin-American tyrants. The so-called rebel forces have recently captured a number of important towns on and near the seacoast, and the outrages which the victorious soldiers committed compelled the United States and Germany to land marines at Barcelona and other points. Venezuela is the deadbeat par excellence among nations. Its disposition to repudiate honest debts has several times led to serious friction with European powers, and nothing but the Monroe doctrine has saved the tottering republic from annihilation and absorption by foreign creditors. Hitherto the government at Washington has succeeded in avoiding a clash, but unless our diplomats manage to bring Castro and his gang of boodlers to time the miserable little country may force us to go to war with one or the other of the great powers; because no self-respecting nation can afford to be bulldozed by such a government as that of Castro and the United States cannot permit the conquest of any part or portion of soil on the western hemisphere.

Truly, the Monroe doctrine has its ugly side, and to carry it out in spirit as well as letter Uncle Sam must act as the world's policeman in Central and South America. And this duty calls for the exercise of wise statesmanship and a liberal construction of the rights of foreign countries whose interests in the region named are, necessarily, more or less at the mercy of our state department.

G. W. HUNTINGTON.

A Back-Yard Talk.

"And how is the world treating you?" asked the brindle pup of the spavined flea.

"Oh," said the flea, "I get a bite now and then; but how is it with you?"

"I manage to scratch along."—Baltimore News.

Not Impenetrable.

"I am protected by an armor of absolute honesty and integrity," asserted Senator Glucose.

"However," he admitted, as he detected a shade of disappointment in the face of the representative of the rich corporation, "even the best armor has blowholes in it."—Brooklyn Life.

Naturally So.

"What do you think of my wood nymphs?" asked the artist of the connoisseur.

"Splendid! Any one would think they were really made of wood!"—N. Y. Herald.

A Wicked Plot.

Mae—After Bessie's rich uncle heard her sing he offered to send her across the water."

Ethel—To cultivate her voice?

Mae—Oh, no; merely to get her out of the way.—Judge.

Modern Variety.

Squildig—I had a terrible nightmare last night. I thought that an automobile ran me down.

McSwilligen—That was a horseless nightmare.—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

A Palpable Oversight.

"The world owes me a living," grumbled the young man.

"Yes," assented the elder one, "but you made the mistake of not demanding collateral security for the debt."—Brooklyn Life.

Well Acquainted with Him.

Teacher — Suppose your little brother had two pennies and you gave him three more, what would he have then?

Nisby Murphy—A vaniller ice cream soder!—Puck.

How It Looked.

"Do you think Clarence is really engaged to that Gotrox girl?"

"Well, I see his tailor has trusted him for another suit of clothes."—Judge.

Wouldn't Stand for It.

"You want a divorce? Now on what charge?

"The charge is desertion. That man of mine he wants to desert three times a day."—Chicago American.

More Artistic Than Palatable.

"Does your wife fix up any fancy dishes?"

"Lots of 'em. But, hang it all, you can't eat painted violets and things."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all legatees, and other persons interested in the estates of the respective decedents and minors, that the following administrators', executors' and guardians accounts have been filed in the office of the Register of Columbia County, and will be presented for confirmation and allowance in the Orphans' Court, to be held at Bloomsburg, Pa., on Monday, December 1st, 1902, at two o'clock p. m of said day.

1. First and final account of C. C. Peacock, Executor of William Brooke, late of the town of Bloomsburg, deceased.
2. First and final account of Mary A. Cragle, Executrix of Margaret C Spotzenberg, late of Briarcreek twp., Columbia county, deceased.
3. First and final account of H. G. Sppiee, Guardian of the estate of Lydia E. Maust, child of Josiah Maust, late of ——— township, Columbia county, deceased.
4. Final account of E. C. Wagner, Guardian of Verna Irene Billman, minor child of George W. Billman, late of ——— township, Columbia county, deceased.
5. Final account of E. C. Wagner, Guardian of Agnes Florence Billman, minor child of George W. Billman, late of ——— township, Columbia county, deceased.
6. First and final account of William L. Ernest, Administrator of the estate of William G. Ernest, late of Hemlock township, Columbia county, deceased.
7. First and partial account of Dr. Andrew Graydon, Executor of Dr. William Graydon, late of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, deceased.
8. First and final account of H. W. Belles, Administrator of Elizabeth J. Belles, late of Benton, Columbia county, deceased.
9. The second and Final account of C. H. and I. S. Troy, Administrators of the estate of D. E. Troy, late of Beaver township, Columbia county, deceased.

J. C. RUTTER, JR., Register.

REGISTER'S OFFICE, Bloomsburg, Pa., Nov. 3, 1902.

WIDOWS' APPRAISEMENTS.

The following Widow's Appraisements will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1902 and confirmed nisi and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter, will be confirmed absolute.

Estate of John Brink, late of Sugarloaf township, deceased. Personality $61.50.

Estate of Henry Rote, late of Greenwood township, deceased. Perality ——

Estate of Jacob H. Stiner, late of The Town of Bloomsburg. Personality $59.15. Realty $240.80.

Estate of Howard R. Grimes, late of Montour township, deceased. Personality $400.

Estate of John Dallous, late of Beaver township, deceased. Personality $13.50. Realty $200.

Estate of Richard Pooley, late of Hemlock township, deceased. Personality $102.00. Realty $198.00

W. H. HENRIE, Clerk's Office, CLERK, O. C.

Bloomsburg, Pa. Nov. 3. 1902.

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania on Monday the 17th day of November, A. D. 1902 by Robert Snodgrass, H. J. Frederick, C. H. Campbell, C. W. Miller and others, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" approved April 29, 1874 and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the Center Water Company, the object and purpose being to supply water to to the public within the township of Centre, County of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, corporations and individuals residing or doing business therein, and for this purpose to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

ROBERT SNODGRASS, C. W. MILLER, Solicitors.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, and will be presented to the said Court on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1902 and confirmed nisi, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter, will be confirmed absolute.

1. First and Final account of John M. Buckalew, committee for A. T. Harrison, late of Fishingcreek township, Columbia County, deceased.
2. Second and final account of John M. Clark, assignee for benefit of creditors of William Neal, C. W. Neal and R. C. Neal

W. H. HENRIE, Clerk's Office, CLERK, O. C.

Bloomsburg, Pa. Nov. 3, 1902.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Lev. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, Pennsylvania and to me directed there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, County and State aforesaid on

SATURDAY, NOV. 22, 1902,

at two o'clock p. m. all that certain piece, parcel or tract of land together with the improvements thereon erected situate, lying and being in the town of Bloomsburg, County of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, described in the recorded deeds of conveyance as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point one hundred sixty-two feet distant from the northwest corner of West and Fourth streets, thence north one hundred (100) feet to a fifteen (15) foot wide alley, thence west along said alley forty-seven (47)feet to corner of a lot owned by E. R. Ikeler, thence south one hundred (100) feet to Fourth (4th) street and thence east forty-seven (47) feet to the place of beginning. Being a part of a large piece of land which John W. Hoffman, High Sheriff of Columbia county conveyed to E. R. Ikeler, whereon is erected a two-story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE.

Seized and taken into execution at the suit of New York National Building and Loan Association vs. J. N. Webb and Hattie L. Webb, J. S Williams terre tenant and to be sold as the property of J. S. Williams, terre tenant.

MILLER, Atty. DANIEL KNORR, Sheriff.

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SATURDAY, NOV. 22, 1902,

at two o'clock p. m. all that certain piece, parcel or tract of land, situate in the town of Bloomsburg, Columbia County, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point, corner of Seventh street and the right of way of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western switch; thence along Seventh street north sixty-four and one-fourth degrees east two hundred twenty-four and twenty-three hundredths feet to corner of lot late of Margaret Vannatta; thence along same north twenty-five and three-fourths degrees west one hundred fourteen feet to line of land of Charles E. Welliver thence along same south sixty-four and one-fourth degrees west twenty-one and five-tenth feet to a stake, thence along same north thirty-one degrees and twenty-six minutes west ninety-eight and five-tenth feet to a stake on eastern line of the aforesaid right of way; thence along same a distance of two hundred eighty-nine feet to the place of beginning, whereon is erected a one and two story

BRICK BUILDING,

used in the manufacture of artificial ice, storage and office together with machinery therein.

Seized and taken into execution at the suit of H. V. White and J. T. Sharpless, trustees vs. Bloomsburg Artificial Ice Company and to be sold as the property of Bloomsburg Artificial Ice Company.

MILLER, Atty. DANIEL KNORR, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of alias Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, and to me directed there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, county and state aforesaid on

SATURDAY, NOV. 29th, 1902,

at two o'clock p. m. all the life estate of Hiram Derr and the undivided one-half interest in the remainder or fee of Franklin Derr, in all that certain piece, parcel and lot of ground situate in Montour township, in the county of Columbia and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a stone in a public road leading from Danville to Bloomsburg in line of land at one time belonging to Jos. Mauser, and running from thence by said public road south eighty-one and one-half degrees west eight perches to a stone in said road; thence by land late of Samuel Lazarus south nineteen and one-fourth degrees east ten perches to a stone; thence by the same north eighty-one and three-fourth degrees east eight perches to a stone in the aforesaid line of land once owned by Jos. Mauser; thence by the aforesaid line of Jos. Mauser north nineteen and one-fourth degrees west ten perches to the place of beginning, containing

80 SQUARE PERCHES

of land be the same, more or less, and upon which is erected a two-story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE.

It being the same premises conveyed to Daniel Fry by Samuel Lazarus and wife by deed dated June 16th, 1862, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Columbia County on January 16th, 1865, in Deed Book, Vol. "R" at page 374, ans which is now vested in Hiram Derr, Franklin Derr and Daniel Derr.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of Catherine Ammerman vs. Hiram Derr and Franklin Derr, and to be sold as the property of Hiram Derr and Franklin Derr.

DANIEL KNORR.

HERRING, Atty. Sheriff.

EXECUTOR'S SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphans Court of Columbia County, Pa., the undersigned Executor of the estate of Dr. J. R. Evans, late of Bloomsburg, Pa., deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises on

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 28th,

at ten o'clock A. M., the following described real estate. All that certain lot of land situate in Bloomsburg, Columbia County and State of Pennsylvania, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a corner on Third Street and Jefferson Street, thence along said Third Street in a southwesterly direction forty-nine and one-half feet to corner of lot No. sixty-eight now owned by Stephen Knorr, thence along said lot in north-westerly direction two hundred and fourteen and one-half feet to Pine Alley, thence along said Alley in a northeasterly direction forty-nine and one-half feet to the corner of Pine Alley and Jefferson Street, thence along said Jefferson Street in a southeasterly direction two hundred and fourteen and one-half feet to the place of beginning, being lot No. sixty-seven in the general plan of the town of Bloomsburg, on which are erected a large two story

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It is one of the most valuable and desirable homes in Bloomsburg. All modern improvements in dwelling. There are fine fruit trees on premises. There is two hundred and sixty-four feet fronting on Third Street and Jefferson Street.

Terms of sale:—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property; the one-fourth less ten per cent. at the confirmation of sale; and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter, with interest from confirmation nisi.

ANDREW L. FRITZ, Executor of estate of Dr. J. R. Evans.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

Farm Land.

The undersigned will offer at public sale upon the premises,

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1902,

at two o'clock p. m., valuable farm land consisting of a tract of land situate in Hemlock twp., Col. Co., Pa., bounded by lands now or late of William and Mathias Appleman, John Kitchen, John and Sylvester Pursel, James Sullivan and others, and containing

28 ACRES and 105 PERCHES OF LAND

on which are erected

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

frame barn and outbuildings.

Terms:—Ten per cent down, twenty per cent April 1st, 1903 and balance one year thereafter with interest from April 1st 1903.

H. MONT. SMITH, Attorney. GEORGE HUTCHINGS

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Al. Fi. Fa., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, county and state aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, NOV. 22nd, 1902

at two o'clock p. m., all that certain lot or piece of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate on the northeast corner of Spruce and Fourth streets, in the Bloomsburg Land Improvement Company's Addition to the said Town of Bloomsburg, and known and designated as lots No. 11 and 12, in Block No. 4, in the plot or draft of said Addition comptied by Samuel Neyhard and James C. Brown, in the year 1891, and bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at the northeast corner of Spruce and Fourth streets; thence along said Spruce street north twenty-three degrees and fifty-four minutes west, one hundred and eighty-four feet to an alley; thence along said alley north sixty-six degrees and six minutes east, eighty feet to lot No. 13; thence along said lot number 13, south twenty-three degrees and fifty-four minutes east, one hundred and eighty-four feet to Fourth street aforesaid. thence along said Fourth street south sixty-six degrees and six minutes west, eighty feet to the place of beginning, whereon is erected a large, fine

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

chicken coops and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of The Pennsylvania Trust Company vs. Alveretta Bittenbender and John K. Bittenbender, and to be sold as the property of Alveretta Bittenbender and John K. Bittenbender.

DANIEL KNORR, Sheriff.

HARMAN, Attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Lev. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania to me directed there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, county and state aforesaid on

SATURDAY, NOV. 22, 1902,

at two o'clock p. m. all that certain piece, parcel and tract of land together with the improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the town of Bloomsburg, county of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, described in the recorded deed of conveyances as follows to wit: On the north side of Fourth street, commencing at a point on the north side of Fourth street corner of the lot of George M. Tustin, thence along same in a northerly direction one hundred feet to a fifteen foot alley; thence eastwardly along the same forty-eight feet more or less to lot of Mrs. William H. Cook; thence southwardly along same one hundred feet more or less to Fourth street aforesaid, thence westwardly along the same forty-eight feet more or less to the place of beginning. Being the same premises which C. W. Miller and wife by their deed dated the twenty-first day of Sept. 1897 and intended to be forthwith recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Columbia County, granted and conveyed to the said S. H. Wolfe party hereto, whereon is erected a two-story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE.

Seized and taken into execution at the suit of New York National Building and Loan Association vs. S. H. Wolfe and Rosa Wolfe. J.N Webb terre tenant and to be sold as the property of J. N. Webb, terre tenant.

MILLER, Atty. DANIEL KNORR, Sheriff.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Deborah Evans, late of Locust township deceased.

The undersigned appointed an auditor by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to pass upon exceptions to account and make distribution of the fund in the hands of the Accountants, of said deceased, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg on Friday, November 21, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all parties interested in the fund in the hands of the administrator of said deceased will appear and prove the same or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund. B. FRANK ZARR. Auditor.

10-23 3t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Harry Shultz, late of Madison township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Harry Shitz, late of Madison towoship, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to J. C. SHULTZ, Administrator, Jerseytown, Pa.

C. W. MILLER, Atty.

10-30 6t

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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Bloomsburg, Pa.

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We acknowledge the courtesy of the *Morning Press* in permitting the use of their folding machine for a large extra edition of THE COLUMBIAN last week.

Montour county gives Pattison a plurality of over 1000; Dickerman, 200; Billmeyer, over 1000. R. S. Ammerman, Dem. is elected to the legislature, and Ralph Kisner, Rep. District Attorney.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hartman were bereft of one of their little twin children on Saturday. The little one had been sick for several days. Funeral, with private interment was held on Monday.

Barney McGuire was brought over from Centralia Sunday and lodged in jail. He is charged with having forcibly entered the home of David Lesher, of Centralia one night in October.

All-night service was inaugurated by the United Telegraph and Telephone Company at their Catawissa Exchange on Monday. This is a convenience that the public will appreciate.

The Runaway Match Company will give a special bargain matinee for ladies and children in the Opera House Saturday afternoon. This company promises two hours of unalloyed pleasure.

Considering all the circumstances Sterner made a splendid run. There were a number of moves by his opponents that seemed to have only the effect of creating sympathy for him.

The county is indebted to William H. Fisher for a board of commissioners consisting of three Democrats. But for his fight for his own rights there would have been two Democrats and one Republican.

We carry a nice assortment of Twelve Mo. Books bound in cloth for 19c. Some of the more popular titles are Robinson Crusoe, Black Beauty, Black Rock, John Halifax, Arabian Nights, etc., at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

A. V. Hower is the owner of a litter of six fox terrier pups. They are beauties, and were greatly admired on Main street Monday when he had them out for an airing. They are eight weeks old, and all of them are promised to customers.

The *Morning News*, Danville's popular paper, has been enlarged to a seven column folio. The *Morning News* is among the best of the inland town dailies and its prosperity is well merited. Here's hoping that brother Angle may meet with continued good fortune.

The J. M. Otto & Co. cracker bakery at Shamokin was destroyed by fire early Saturday morning entailing a loss of about $30,000. The insurance will only cover one third of the loss. S. P. Hagenbuch of Bloomsburg has been for several years and is now the traveling representative of the company.

Vote as Polled Tuesday, November 4th, 1902.

DISTRICTS.	Gov.		Cong.		Cong. S T		Rep. Gen'l Assem.				As. Jud.		Proth'y		Dist Atty		Co. Commissioner			
	Pennypacker, R.	Pattison, D.	Godcharles, R.	Dickerman, D.	Lord, R.	Billmeyer, D.	Kreisher, R.	Batt, R.	Creasy, D.	Ikeler, D.	Kurtz, R.	Krickbaum, D.	Dyke, R.	Terwilliger, D.	Day, R.	Small, D.	Smith, R.	Bogert, D.	Fisher, D.	Sterner, Cit.
Beaver	11	18	20	110	14	109	31	25	89	92	30	87	18	107	92	27	26	83	39	87
Benton Boro	33	111	39	100	32	111	35	55	101	86	53	62	29	98	47	84	43	99	40	92
Benton Twp	20	143	24	138	19	139	18	21	141	136	25	116	20	133	23	128	19	132	83	61
Berwick, N. E	78	136	96	120	92	109	92	89	113	113	113	96	90	104	110	109	98	100	90	20
Berwick S. E	69	131	91	126	92	108	91	82	112	115	112	94	93	98	115	93	91	96	109	8
Berwick, N. W	65	112	97	77	86	81	87	77	83	82	113	62	90	75	101	66	87	78	63	20
Berwick, S. W	61	107	77	94	73	82	74	68	80	91	110	57	78	74	88	73	74	63	73	22
Berwick, West Boro	62	68	79	55	72	57	70	67	64	64	88	43	76	51	79	50	78	51	49	4
Bloom 1st	99	131	123	104	84	133	93	84	124	133	109	115	66	159	135	97	104	86	66	136
Bloom 2d	108	161	142	126	112	147	110	105	145	155	121	138	87	182	179	88	118	117	61	163
Bloom 3d	138	216	191	166	128	210	132	128	196	215	147	200	118	232	216	129	139	170	52	238
Bloom 4th	93	209	153	141	96	193	104	95	185	178	109	176	98	197	173	115	108	151	62	171
Briarcreek	43	137	48	120	48	125	49	48	129	123	58	120	48	123	55	122	50	117	65	77
Catawissa Boro	30	78	32	70	28	79	52	25	56	62	45	56	27	73	56	47	211	156	192	38
Catawissa Twp	188	211	216	179	192	197	249	182	202	140	243	139	216	175	248	146	39	53	59	32
Centralia 1st	77	105	125	50	132	44	148	61	73	30	94	67	118	63	124	50	62	40	120	45
Centralia 2d	58	83	85	54	91	44	110	59	67	36	76	51	96	59	91	47	69	24	61	51
Centre	43	122	56	103	46	114	43	43	116	113	52	103	41	117	59	98	47	108	37	87
Cleveland	27	97	33	90	33	93	79	27	55	58	80	49	26	96	94	28	29	40	83	33
Conyngham, E. N	18	62	35	35	42	26	53	14	49	20	23	43	38	33	41	29	24	15	32	35
Conyngham, W. N	59	40	75	17	47	26	67	23	52	10	24	44	48	21	60	15	30	20	56	.....
Conyngham, W., No. 1	37	49	71	14	73	13	48	42	39	5	41	37	80	7	51	9	39	35	17	11
Conyngham, W., No. 2	26	5	24	6	29	2	29	30	2	1	29	3	32	1	31	2	29	2	1	.....
Conyngham, S. W	23	62	32	60	29	53	62	26	40	29	31	57	30	53	38	46	27	40	9	51
Conyngham, S. E	7	82	66	21	73	11	74	6	83	9	54	19	70	10	54	22	52	18	69	3
Fishingcreek, E	22	116	23	118	22	117	20	20	115	115	24	112	21	113	34	102	26	111	43	80
Fishingcreek, W	4	58	4	57	4	58	4	3	58	55	50	45	4	55	4	53	5	54	27	28
Franklin	32	62	36	56	34	54	38	33	44	54	59	29	34	54	71	12	43	45	41	17
Greenwood, E	42	11	42	102	42	108	39	45	107	99	53	80	37	102	61	81	45	102	44	61
Greenwood, W	32	77	38	73	30	78	31	33	73	70	39	71	34	76	34	62	37	74	45	32
Hemlock	36	103	45	86	34	100	36	35	100	98	44	77	28	104	54	70	39	68	27	89
Jackson	19	112	19	109	17	113	18	23	107	101	26	89	16	111	24	96	18	98	58	56
Locust	53	150	56	131	50	148	110	46	135	88	69	112	57	132	123	73	59	94	124	43
Madison	25	125	28	119	22	123	26	118	24	115	28	119	22	124	30	115	24	116	27	102
Main	11	125	27	99	13	118	17	13	106	107	36	82	9	121	62	53	25	64	105	22
Mifflin	26	157	36	146	26	154	28	25	149	147	57	116	29	151	59	118	64	121	87	51
Millville	49	60	59	51	43	66	57	54	55	53	57	56	44	60	65	48	57	52	45	16
Montour	32	86	34	83	31	79	34	33	82	79	39	74	28	87	64	48	34	59	35	62
Mt. Pleasant	23	69	28	63	19	72	20	19	64	71	22	66	20	67	42	42	28	61	27	45
Orangeville Boro	30	57	34	50	31	55	35	34	48	49	49	36	29	52	42	40	35	46	36	20
Orange	21	61	23	58	21	57	23	22	55	55	27	53	22	58	33	48	23	58	31	24
Pine, N	19	46	21	43	19	45	20	20	43	43	21	40	19	44	20	41	19	45	31	9
Pine, S	23	39	37	32	20	40	20	20	39	39	27	30	19	37	26	32	24	35	28	18
Roaringcreek	38	51	39	49	40	48	47	38	49	41	45	40	41	46	53	34	40	40	42	9
Scott, E	72	122	90	103	73	172	70	72	108	107	77	111	67	122	90	90	69	158	28	78
Scott, W	25	64	33	52	25	58	26	26	58	58	38	45	24	66	43	45	29	60	33	32
Stillwater Boro	5	44	6	41	6	41	5	5	42	41	5	36	5	42	9	37	7	36	6	43
Sugarloaf, N	25	100	34	89	26	93	25	26	92	93	31	85	26	90	33	85	25	96	35	68
Sugarloaf, S	14	87	16	86	16	84	15	15	84	86	18	71	14	84	17	81	15	83	7	79
Totals	2151	4849	2720	4010	2705	4340	2762	2257	4280	4059	2816	3311	2372	4329	3479	3238	2492	3670	2990	2567

Evangelist Schiverea, addressed a men's meeting in the Court House on Sunday that crowded the spacious room. A very attractive feature, aside from the excellent talk, was the special music in which F. Schiverea Jr., the Y. M. C. A. choir and the Y. M. C. A. Orchestra took part. It was a grand meeting. Another opportunity to hear Mr. Schiverea will be given in the Court House next Sunday afternoon. Don't miss it.

Go and see James L. McCabe in "Maloney's Wedding" and enjoy a laugh that will tickle your memory for the balance of the season. It will be at the Opera House to-night. Three acts brimful of the brightest comedy and the most relishable fun, fairly bristles with the merriest of complications, and has a well woven plot and story of every-day life, clean cut and wholesome.

If you miss James L. McCabe's "Maloney's Wedding Day" at the Opera House to-night you will miss the funniest and most entertaining comedy-drama that will be seen here this season. It fairly glows and glistens with the jolliest kind of comedy complications, bright, tuneful music, tells a pretty story of everyday life, and is fresh, crisp and wholesome. It tickles the little ones and keeps their elders in a fever heat of healthy humor. It's a laugh from start to finish.

Sylvester Sitler of Light Street has for sale a brood mare and well-bred colt. The mare is of good size, and will work anywhere. The colt is of pacing stock. Any further information can be obtained by addressing Mr. Sitler. 4t.

Millions of butterflies are eaten every year by the Australian aborigines. The insects congregate in vast quantities on the rocks of the Bugong mountains, and the natives secure them by kindling fires of damp wood and thus suffocating them. Then they are gathered in baskets, baked, sifted to remove the wings, and finally pressed into cakes.

The annual meeting for the election of five new members to the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held this evening at 7.30. Officers for the ensuing year will be chosen by the Directors, immediately after the Association meeting.

Have you tried the Gem Steam Laundry yet? Work called for and delivered, to all parts of town. J. E. Fidler, Prop.

A loose guide wire on the stack of the Paragon Plaster and Supply Company was caught by a box car on the D. L. & W. Railroad on Friday and the stack torn down. In its descent it came in contact with a guide wire of the large ninety foot stack of the White Milling Company and it too was torn down. The work of raising the stacks is in charge of E. Keeler & Co. of Williamsport.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office November 18,1902. Persons calling for these letters will please say "that they were advertised Nov. 6, 1902": Mrs. Mattie Blee, Mr. Llewlyn Griffiths, Miss Jennie Neyhart, W. H. Stone, James Snovlin, G. C. Stewart, Mrs. Jane White. Cards—Mr. Ralph Perkins.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

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Pittston cancelled the game with Normal on Saturday and the lovers of the sport were again disappointed. Normal has certainly been unfortunate with her schedules this year. It either rains or else the teams at the very last minute send word that they cannot come. The game which is scheduled for Saturday will doubtless attract a large crowd. The great rivalry which has existed between the two teams for several years back is still alive and as they are pretty evenly matched, a battle royal may be expected.

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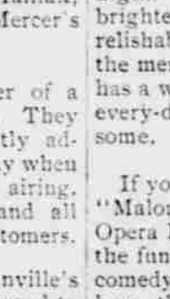

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His Clever Escape.

An engaged young gentleman got rather neatly out of a little scrape with his intended. She said she had heard that he had kissed two ladies at some party at which she was not present.

He owned it, but said, laughingly, that, after all, their united ages made only 21.

The simple-minded girl thought of ten and 11, and laughed off her pout.

He did not explain that one was 19 and the other two years of age.—Tit-Bits.

First Fall Song.

The summer winds are passing,
The cooler days are near;
The pert bluejay is sassing
And says that fall is near.
And soon each hardy 'leven
Will punt the ball and train,
And in six weeks or seven
We'll have football again.
—Chicago Daily News.

OF THE SAME MIND.

He—I think husband and wife should give and take.

She—I quite agree with you, dear. The husband should give and the wife take all she can get.—Moonshine.

Bows and Beaux.

They claim the bows the dear girls wear
Upon their shoes to-day,
Are something new, and yet I'm sure
It's quite the other way.
For what coquette who ever lived,
Whose face was pretty—sweet—
Has not "worn" beaux of divers kind—
And had them at her feet?
—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

Loss and Gain.

Mrs. Blinks—Oh, John! I've lost my diamond ring somewhere!

Blinks—Yes; I know you did.

Mrs. Blinks—Why, how did you know it?

Blinks—I found it in my trousers pocket at the same time I discovered that I had lost $3.—Chicago Daily News.

Doubtful.

"No," said the capitalist, "I shall not invest in your invention. I very seriously question its practicability and its importance."

"For what reason?"

"Because no one has come forward with a claim that you stole it from him."—Washington Star.

Quite an Expert.

She—He's a bookkeeper, isn't he?

He—I should say so. He borrowed a book of mine and never returned it.—N. Y. Journal.

Doubting Thomases.

Mollowitz—I wonder why all male cats are called Tom.

Guffley—Probably because they are so often on the fence.—N. Y. Herald.

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Getting Acquainted.

"Mamma sent me over to ask if you could let her have a cupful of coffee till to-morrow morning," said the little girl.

"Certainly," replied the mother of the family that had just moved in. "You are our next door neighbors on the north, are you not?"

"Yes'm. Mamma said she didn't really want the coffee. She wanted me to notice what kind of dishes you had on your table."—Chicago Tribune.

In Turn.

The insect sees the tiny mite
And eats him as its natural right;
The chicken sees the insect fair
And dines upon him, then and there.
Man eats the chicken, if he can;
And such is nature's wondrous plan
That this same man—perhaps 'tis just—
Is swallowed up by some big trust.
—Washington Star.

ASSURANCE.

Young Lady (who has just had her picture taken)—I hope that the pictures will be handsome.

Photographer—Yes, indeed; you will not recognize yourself.—Chicago Daily News.

The Millionaire's Fuel.

I have money to burn,
For I think on the whole
That I can get money
As easy as coal.
—Washington Star.

Mythology Authenticated.

Teacher—What is your opinion, Johnny, of the probability of truth in the story of Medusa, the Gorgon, who, if a man looked at her face, turned the gazer to stone?

Bright Youth—I don't know, ma'am, but I know lots o' women so homely that to look at 'em makes a fellow feel awfully rocky.—Los Angeles Herald.

An Embarrassment.

"Why don't you praise your wife's cooking once in awhile and cheer her up?"

"I'm afraid to try. Everytime I say anything is particularly good it turns out to be something that was purchased at the grocery."—Washington Star.

An Easy Problem.

"I had quite an argument with Charley last night."

"What was it about?"

"Well," replied the demure girl, "I said 'No' three times and then said 'Yes,' and that ended the argument. You ought to be able to guess the details."—Chicago Post.

His Impression.

Unexpectedly the sporting reporter had been called upon to write up a wedding.

"The bride," he wrote, "was enveloped in a dense fog, but moved down the aisle at a leisurely canter and looked every inch a winner."—Chicago Tribune.

Realistic.

Parke—The other day I was in a kind of vision and saw my wife as the most perfect woman in the world.

Lane—Where were you?

Parke—In an intelligence office, describing her to a cook I was trying to engage.—Judge.

Uncle Allen.

"It isn't true in all cases," said Uncle Allen Sparks, "that familiarity breeds contempt. The more you know about the hind feet of a mule the more respect you have for them."—Chicago Tribune.

Poor Stuff.

The milk of human kindness
Is scarce, and it would seem
That even what we find is not
Extremely rich with cream.
—Philadelphia Press.

TOO MUCH EDUCATION.

"There won't be good livin' for our perfession in the future, I'm afeard."

"Blow me! 'ow's that?"

"It's this 'ere civilisation. These cookin' schools is teachin' gals 'ow to use up the cold wittles."—Ally Sloper.

Definition.

Little Clarence—Pa, what is experience?

Mr. Callipers—Experience, my son, is the headaches you acquire from butting against the world.—Puck.

Something Still Missing.

Mr. Botts—I think, my dear, I have at last found the key to success.

Mrs. Botts—Well, just as like as not you will not be able to find the keyhole.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Police News.

"Didn't the captain do anything to clean up the precinct?"

"Well, he gathered up a lot of filthy lucre."—Puck.

Easily Acquired.

Giglamps — How did Wordslinger make a reputation as a critic?

Paresis—By condemning good verse in bad prose.—Town Topics.

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